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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Five masked bandits at 3 o'clock yesterday morning blew the safe and secured $5,000 to $10,000 from a bank in Gilbertsville, N. Y.——The government crop bulletin reports the weather throughout the South is favorable for cotton planting—A dispatch from Waco, Tex., reports the discovery of a bug that is destroying the cotton boll weevil——At the commencement exercises at Hampton Institute, Va., yesterday Booker T. Washington eulogized Gen. Fitzhugh Lee as a generous and sympathetic friend of the colored race——The Southern Publisher's Association met in Charleston yesterday and the members are being treated royally by that hospitable city——The rumor of the proposed lease of the L. & N. to the A. C. L. again figured on the New York Stock Exchange yesterday, the stocks of each making an advance——General Fitzhugh Lee will be buried Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Richmond, and probably every military company in the State will attend——The Chicago strike has assumed the appearance of anarchy, the centre of the city being occupied by mobs which shoot and brain people with clubs, stones, and other missiles; one man was killed and 42 injured yesterday, including a minister who was brutally beaten—The list of dead from the riot in Warsaw, Russian Poland was 60 up to yesterday—New York markets: Money on call firm, 2 3-4 to 3 1-4 per cent., closing bid 2 1-2, offered at 2 3-4; cotton, spot firm 7.90! flour steady; wheat firm, No. 2 red 91 7-8; corn firm, No. 2, 56 1-2; oats steady, mixed 34 1-2 to 35; turpentine steady 54 1-2 to 60; rosin steady.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture,
Weather Bureau,
Wilmington, N. C., May 2, 1905.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. yesterday.

Temperature at 8 A. M., 63 degrees; 8 P. M., 67 degrees; Maximum, 73 degrees; Minimum, 56 degrees; Mean, 64 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since 1st of month todate, 00.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, N. C., at 8 A. M. yesterday (Monday), 8.0 feet.

PORT ALMANAC—MAY 3.

Sun Rises .....5:06 A. M.
Sun Sets .....6:49 P. M.
Days' Length .....13h., 37 m.
High Water at Southport..7:30 P. M.
High Water at Wilmington.10:00 P. M.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair Wednesday and Thursday, fresh South winds.

Maie Wood would have us believe that Senator Platt woo'd and wouldn't.

It is stated that a man in Pennsylvania went crazy because a girl with liquid eyes refused to marry him. Rejected lovers generally liquidize in a case like that and perhaps that is all that was the matter with the poor fellow.

In Columbus Ohio, there is a formidable protest against naming a hill-top street Roosevelt Avenue, because "there is no telling what he may do before he dies." There is no telling what the street may do. It may give us a good imitation of a landslide.

Minister Bowen sailed from Venezuela on Saturday to comply with the summons sent him to put in an appearance at Washington to say it to Assistant Secretary Loomis' face. Bowen is going to get home in time to find out how it feels to get "tuckered out" officially.

Thomas Dunlevy, a Massachusetts iron moulder, had his nose burned off a few days ago by having melted led splashed on it. Dr. Stillwell Burns, of Philadelphia, is growing the man another nose. It is a little curious that the man lost his nose from burns and is getting it replaced by Burns.

The newspapers mention the noteworthy fact that three brothers named Watts are Mayors of cities in Indian Territory. Charles G. Watts holds office in Wagoner, John W. in Sallisaw and Thomas C. in Muldrow. We presume that the Indians out there kick as hard against the Watts law in those towns as some folks kick against North Carolina's Watts' law.

Our esteemed contemporary the Columbia Daily Record has celebrated its eighth anniversary. It has cleverly filled its sphere as an afternoon newspaper and has deserved the success which is steadily coming its way. It appears to be one of Columbia's newspaper fixtures and the tone of the paper and the service it gives entitle it to the fullest appreciation of the people in its bailiwick.

Some Florida promoters, too confident that the war is over, have established Veteran City where the Blue and the Gray are offered inducements to settle. However, if they refrain from eating each others chickens when they are caught scratching up the garden, we'll know that the soldier instinct has given way to the spirit of reconciliation. The town is going ahead, however, for a paper called the Veteran Outpost has made its appearance.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Contractor Jas. H. Burriss has begun work on a new bowling alley for the Carolina Yacht Club at Wrightsville Beach.

—Services at First Church of Christ, Scientist, this evening at 8:15 o'clock, Odd Fellows' building, second floor. All are invited.

—There will be a meeting of the Dorcas Society in the Lutheran Memorial Building, Thursday afternoon, May 4th at 5 o'clock.

—The schooner Edwina, Capt. Cavileer, arrived yesterday from New York with cargo of cement for the Seaboard Air Line warehouses.

—The grounds of the Wilmington Gun Club are being cleared up and the traps overhauled preparatory to a shoot Friday afternoon.

—A building permit has been granted R. L. Piver for the construction of a one-story frame building on Meares, between Second and Third streets.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Lent, of Brooklyn, N. Y., who have been visiting Mrs. Lent's father, Mr. J. E. Pigford at Wallace, have returned to the city and will sail Saturday for New York.

—Sam Taylor, colored, driver of a milk wagon, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Policeman Leon George, charged with fast driving in the vicinity of Thirteenth and Market streets.

—On account of the funeral of Gen. Fitzhugh Lee at Richmond the Seaboard Air Line announces a rate of one fare plus 25c. for the round trip. Tickets on sale May 3rd with final limit May 6th.

—Tom Edwards, colored, was arrested by Constable Savage yesterday on a peace warrant sworn out by his wife, Mary Edwards. The defendant gave bond of $100 for preliminary trial before Justice Fowler to-day.

—The Alumni Association of the Wilmington High School is requested to meet Thursday at 4:30 o'clock at the High School building. All members are requested to be present as business of importance will be transacted.

—By deed filed for record yesterday Mary A. Steijes transferred to Albert Steijes, for $1,800, property at southwest corner of Tenth and Market streets, 60x150 feet in size, and at northwest corner of Thirteenth and Market streets, 66x150 feet in size.

—Mr. F. W. Davis, who recently severed his connection with the Smith-Davis Company, importers of Peruvian guanos, has purchased an interest in the furniture business of W. T. Mercer & Co. and will be actively engaged with that firm in the future.

—Miss Sara Catlett will entertain her afternoon dancing class to-night at 9 o'clock with a german in which many of the new fancy dances will be introduced, and to-morrow night, commencing at 9 o'clock, her night class will enjoy their usual Easter german.

"CITY OF FAYETTEVILLE."

Sale of Steamer By Order of Court Monday Noon.

The Fayetteville Observer in speaking of the sale of the steamer "City of Fayetteville" on Monday says:

"The 'City of Fayetteville' was offered first, and was bid in by Mr. T. D. Love for $7,500. Next the wharf and lands adjoining was offered, and went to Mr. C. L. Bevill for $2,100. The uptown lot, opposite Burns' stables, was then put up, and went to Mr. J. R. Tolar for $1,950. The franchises, accounts, etc., were then offered and purchased by Mr. S. H. MacRae for $100.

"The above, covering all the parcels, the property was next offered as a whole, and bid in by Mr. S. H. MacRae for northern parties for $11,750.

"As the property cost several times this much, and is bonded for $125,000, the purchase price is considered very low. The sale is subject to confirmation by the court, or a ten per cent. increase over the purchase price."

As To Encampment.

The Star learns that there is a strong probability that Wrightsville Sound, by exerting an effort, can secure the encampment of at least two of the regiments of the State National Guard this Summer. Action should be taken at once and the Star believes that the general public would respond cordially to any effort by the Chamber of Commerce along this line.

Funeral of Mr. Baker.

The funeral of the late Mr. John Baker was conducted yesterday afternoon in the presence of a large assemblage of friends by the Rev. W. A. Snyder, of Saint Paul's Evangelical Lutheran church. The floral tributes were numerous and very pretty. The remains were laid to rest in Oakdale cemetery.

At The Academy.

The Davis-Driscoll Company pleased another large audience last night with a clever presentation of "Sunset Mines." To-night the bill will be the sensational four-act melodrama, "A Noble Outcast" or a "Woman's Vengeance." Saturday matinee, "Ten Nights in a Bar Room;" Saturday night, "Jessie James."

County Commissioners—Election notice.

Mercer & Evans Co.—Good Shoes Cheap.

Davis-Driscoll Co. — Academy of Music.

E. Warren & Son—Out of Town Orders For Ice Cream.

Business Locals.

W—Setter Pup Found.

S. F. Craig—Choice Fat Hens.

Vale Studio—Souvenir Post Cards.

M. C. Darby & Co—Real Estate For Sale.

Noble Milton—Information About Boy Wanted.

"PRETTY HOWDYDO"

Election Yesterday Quiet But Followed by Threatening Complications.

ONLY LIGHT VOTE POLLED

Factional Differences on Board of Aldermen Still Giving Trouble—Organization Meeting To-day Promises Something Lively.

Despite rumors of numerous independent candidates for Aldermen in at least three of the five of the wards, the city election yesterday passed off very quietly, only a small vote having been polled. Interest in the municipal situation, which has been growing more tense each day, is just now centred in the first meeting of the newly elected Board of Aldermen at the City Hall to-day at noon. The differences between the two factions on the Board are well known and as to what will occur in the dispensation of patronage appears to be an unknown quantity. All efforts toward reconciliation have apparently failed and a dead lock seems imminent unless the war of parliamentary tactics falls one side or the other and it is safe to say that both sides have pretty well informed themselves by this time.

Few people manifested much interest in the election yesterday as everybody regarded the primary action as binding. Twelve votes were cast in the Fifth Ward for Alderman W. P. Gafford but Mr. Gafford denies that they were cast at his solicitation. Mr. Gafford left during the morning for Salisbury, N. C., to attend the State Council of Red Men to which he is a delegate. The vote in the several wards was as follows:

First Ward.

J. A. Karr 126
M. Rathjen 126

Second Ward.

P. Q. Moore 82
M. O'Brien 82

Third Ward.

W. H. Yopp 108
E. F. Johnson 109

Fourth Ward.

R. W. Price 93
W. E. Yopp 93

Fifth Ward.

J. O. Brown 295
W. W. King 294
W. P. Gafford 12

For Executive Committee—Woodus Kellum, 216; K. W. Jewell, 216.

Less than 750 of the 2,400 votes in the primary were cast in the election as will be seen by the above returns. The executive committee was voted for in the Fifth ward under a misapprehension as the members of the committee are finally elected in the primary. Mayor Springer received two votes in the Third ward but those were, of course, thrown out as the Mayor, according to present understanding, is not voted for on the day of election.

The Programme To-day.

Members of the newly elected Board of Aldermen will assemble at the City Hall to-day at noon, qualify and take their seats. Whether the factional differences will be settled before that time or not, is not known. Five members of the Board appear to be as equally determined that they shall share in the dipensation of the patronage as the other side is that they shall not participate. The five members of the Board classed as "Springer men" last night after their election sent an invitation to the "Waddell men" to meet them in private caucus at the City Hall at 9 o'clock but the invitation was not accepted. The five "Springer Aldermen" met as early as 8:30 o'clock and remained until 10:30 P. M., but none of the opposing faction came. The invitation forwarded was in the following language:

Wilmington, N. C., May 2, 1905.

Messrs. J. A. Karr, Martin Rathjen, Martin O'Brien, W. W. King and J. O. Brown, Democratic Aldermen Elect, City.

Dear Sirs—We, the undersigned, constituting five of the ten Democratic Aldermen elect, propose to you to hold a caucus of all Democratic Aldermen elect to determine in caucus upon the city officials to be elected at the forthcoming official meeting of the Board of Aldermen. This has been the Democratic custom for thirty-five years or more.

We concede, of course, that the Board will elect Hon. A. M. Waddell as Mayor, as his nomination was made by the primary, but we do not concede that there is either legal or personal obligation upon us to elect him first of the city officials, nor do we concede it to be the right of five Aldermen, because the Mayor to be elected will act with them, to ignore five other Aldermen so as to elect all public officials by their vote and by the vote of the Mayor, who may have the right in case of a tie to cast his vote.

We have heretofore proposed to you this caucus, and you declined it in advance of your election to-day. Afterwards, you expressed a willingness to caucus, provided Col. Waddell was present. This we conceded, and thereupon you withdrew the proposition.

We do not understand that we were elected as Springer or Waddell Aldermen, nor do we think the contest between these gentlemen should be carried into the Board of Aldermen, but we were elected to subserve the public good. We contend that the Democratic Aldermen elected should confer in caucus, without suggestion as to their action either from Col. Waddell or Mr. Springer.

But from the first, your attitude to us has indicated an intention, as you have with you the Mayor to be elected, to ignore the undersigned representatives of their respective wards.

Personally, we care nothing about the matter. As Aldermen, representing our wards, we do not intend that five Aldermen, with the assistance of the Mayor, shall undertake to ignore the consideration due the representatives of the wards upon the threshold of this new administration.

If, as Democratic Aldermen, we are pledged to observe the Democratic custom of voting for the Democratic nominee for Mayor, we demand that the Democratic custom of years also be observed by you to caucus for the nomination of other officials, and, if called, we shall very willingly and cheerfully abide by the action of that caucus of the ten Democratic Aldermen.

The situation as it now stands forbodes evil to the city. We can avoid it by meeting each other in caucus and in a spirit of mutual concession.

We trust, therefore, that you will reconsider your action and meet with us in a caucus, none to attend but the Democratic Aldermen, and the caucus not to be a public one, at the Mayor's office to-night, at nine o'clock, at the City Hall.

This letter is written in no other spirit than to bring about harmony between us, and in the interest of a successful administration of the public affairs of this city for the next two years.

E. F. JOHNSON,
P. Q. MOORE.
W. H. YOPP,
W. E. YOPP,
R. W. PRICE.

The effect of the refusal of the Aldermen to meet with the five other members has engendered bitterness, which will probably continue through the administration and that such a state of affairs should have arisen is to be regretted. The following legal opinion by Hon. John D. Bellamy and Former City Attorney Iredell Meares was given out late last night:

To E. F. Johnson, W. H. Yopp, W. E. Yopp, P. Q. Moore and R. W. Price, Aldermen:

Dear Sirs:—Our opinion is sought as to whether the Board of Aldermen at their first meeting to be held on May 3rd have the right to elect the city officers other than Mayor first, or must the Board proceed to elect a Mayor first. While we have no hesitancy in expressing our opinion if the Board has the right to elect a Mayor and other city officials provided for in the charter, that it is optional to take up the election of the officers in any order they deem best, yet we are constrained to say that after a very deliberate and thorough investigation of the law made to-day, we are of the opinion that the Board of Aldermen have no right whatever to elect a Mayor, a Clerk and Treasurer, a Chief of Police and other officers provided for in the charter, but that they should have been elected by the people at the election held to-day. The Act of 1901, Chapter 750, provides a general election law for all towns and cities in the State. This act, by Section 23, was by its terms only to apply to the city of Wilmington after the first day of June, 1901, and therefore is now in full force as to this city. By Section 19 of the act it is provided that "in all cities and towns an election shall be held on Tuesday after the first Monday in May, 1901, and biennially thereafter, except as to the city of Fayetteville; as to that city, elections there shall be held annually, for the election of such other officers as the charter of such town or city shall provide for, and any provision to the contrary in in any charter of any city or town is hereby expressly repealed."

While there is some ambiguity, by reason of the punctuation of this section, yet enough appears from the context to plainly show that the section requires all officers provided for in any charter of any city or town to be elected bienially by the people, and when we invoke the aid of Section 5 of said act, we see by the express language thereof, that "all qualified electors, who shall have resided for 90 days immediately preceding an election within the limits of any ward of a city or town, and not otherwise, shall have the right to vote in such ward for Mayor or other city or town officials," we are forced to the conclusion that the officers mentioned, are required to be chosen by the electors, the people at the polls, and not by the Board of Aldermen.

The purpose of the Legislature that this Act should apply to all towns and cities, not excepted, is made manifest by the exception therein of the towns of Rocky Mount and Shelby and the city of Charlotte; and, it is further manifest that it was intended to apply to Wilmington, after June 1, 1901, because it mentions this city specifically and declares it shall be "exempted from the operation of this act until the first day of June, 1901."

The inquiry naturally sugests itself, if this be the law, how vacancies in these offices could be filled. We can find no provision in the acts that authorize the Board of Aldermen to fill the vacancies of these now elective offices. We are of the opinion, however, that under the general power of the Aldermen, in the event of a vacancy, the Board could not elect to these particular offices, but could by ordinance, clothe some person to discharge like duties of the subordinate officers, until the next general election. This would not apply to the office of Mayor, as he is vested with executive and judicial powers by the Legislature, and without express grant, the Board could not fill the office, but might select a chairman of the Board of Aldermen. The act of ... seems to have been entirely overlooked by the citizens of the town, both at the present and the last election, and we were surprised to find the purport of the act and only discovered it last evening and came to this conclusion to-day.

Respectfully yours,
JOHN D. BELLAMY,
IREDELL MEARES,
Attorneys.

Mr. Springer's Attitude.

Whatever may be the action of the Board of Aldermen, Mayor Springer stated yesterday that he had no desire and would make absolutely no effort to hold over.

What the outcome of the present controversy will be, no one can attempt to say. The attorneys quoted above said last night that the legal points involved were questions for the court and that a case could be made up, heard in chambers by some judge and adjudicated speedily.

In the meantime the community wants peace and harmony and any efforts to that end will be received with the plaudits of the public.

More Troops For Potomac.

The Thirty-first Company, Coast Artillery, in command of Capt. A. A. Starbird, U. S. A., came up from Fort Caswell on the steamer Wilmington yesterday afternoon and left at 5 o'clock on a special train over the S. A. L. for Fortress Monroe, where it will take part in the army and navy manoeuvres on the Potomac. The 19th Company, Capt. E. W. Timberlake, came up Sunday and left on a special train for Fort Hunt, also on the Potomac, to take part in the manoeuvres. Only the 102nd. Company is now left at Caswell.

WHO "PAYS FREIGHT"

Question as to Whether City or Party Will Bear Expense of the Primary.

AUDIT AND FINANCE BOARD

Regular Semi-Monthly Meeting Last Night—Trading Stamp Tax Not Concurred In—Other Proceedings of Interest.

Is the party or the municipality liable for the expenses of the recent Democratic city primaries?

That is a question encompassed with much doubt in the minds of members of the Board of Audit and Finance, who considered the matter at some length at last night's regular semi-monthly meeting upon which all were in attendance except Mr. Wilder. It was the Democratic Executive Committee's understanding that the city would foot all bills for the primary and assurances to that effect were given to all with whom obligations were contracted. It seems, however, that a closer examination discloses that the new legalized primary law is painfully and tantalizingly silent upon the question of pay, not only for the registrars and pollholders but as to all other expenses for the primary. Under the law of 1889, the city would bear the expenses of the primary but the last Legislature in passing the new bill omitted any provision for the expenses of the primary and there is a doubt whether the new law repeals the former law in regard to expenses, all of which evolves a neat little complication which the Board of Audit and Finance confesses it does not know exactly how to unravel.

City Attorney Bellamy was present last night and gave the Board his views of the law but it was impossible for the members present to decide upon the question, all agreeing that if the party and not the city is responsible for the expenses, it would be an extremely bad precedent for them to establish in paying the bills. Several members of the Board thought the Executive Committee should have raised a fund from the candidates before the primary to defray the expenses, in the same manner as obtains in the county primary plan, and the matter having been overlooked, at least two of the members of the Board said they would prefer to make a substantial personal subscription to such an independent fund, rather than to take official action "in the dark," so to speak. The matter was finally deferred to a special meeting which, it is understood, will be held in the near future and at which the pay of election officers will be taken up at the same time.

Present at the meeting last night were Chairman H. C. McQueen, Messrs. C. W. Yates, S. P. McNair and J. A. Orrell. A communication from the Board of Aldermen was read. Refund of taxes to Messrs. Blair & Healy and C. Thalley was deferred for information. Bill of Attorneys E. K. Bryan, Herbert McClammy and William J. Bellamy, amounting to $300, for services in the Monk rock quarry dispute last Summer was allowed. The trading stamp tax of $50 per month was nonconcurred in on the ground that the amount is unreasonable. Claim of Cowan Bros., in the sum of $100 for damages sustained as lessees of the Academy of Music was allowed. Bill of City Attorney Bellamy for $100 for professional services in drawing up the various city bills passed by the late General Assembly was not approved. The Board after examination and approving bills for current expenses, adjourned subject to call of the chairman.

THE BERRY MOVEMENT.

Everything Demoralized By Car Shortage—Records Unobtainable.

Shortage of cars and the increase of shipments to such phenomenally large proportions has so completely demoralized the movement that it was utterly impossible last night to get any record of the number of crates of strawberries that went forward either from the trucking belt or though South Rocky Mount. Berries are said to be piled mountain high around the depot at Chadbourn but it is simply impossible to get cars to move them. The railroad is receiving the fruit, issuing bills of lading and holding the berries for the refrigerator car people with whom it is said the railroad has an iron clad contract. Transportation people say that they will be able to partially relieve the situation to-day.

To Honor High School.

Arrangements are about complete for the flag and Bible presentation exercises by the Jr. O. U. A. M. in the Court House Friday evening and on the High School grounds the following week at a day and hour to be later decided upon, the High School being the institution which will be honored on the occasion by the gifts of the patriotic order. The address will be by Col. Z. P. Smith, of Raleigh, State Councillor and editor of The American, the national organ of the order. Col. Smith will be presented by William J. Bellamy, Esq. The public is invited to the exercises both in the Court House and on the school grounds. More extended notice will be given the event at a later date.

CATHERINE KENNEDY HOME.

Contributions to the Catherine Kennedy Home for April are as follows: Mrs. H. F. Wilder, rice, hominy; Mrs. Rehder, plants; Mrs. Hodges, plants; Mr. R. R. Bellamy, drugs; Mr. J. Hicks Bunting, Drugs; Mr. J. A. Springer, ice daily; Mrs. Roger Moore.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. C. H. Gattis, travelling passenger agent of the Seaboard Air Line, is in the city on official business.

—Fayetteville Observer: "Mrs. Rush, of Wilmington, is a guest at Miss Hattie Starr's on Hay street."

—Mr. J. Everett Ewing, of Atlantic Highlands, N. J., after a stay of two weeks in the city left for home yesterday.

—Mr. Martin S. Willard and Mrs. Willard returned last evening from a trip aboard. They were most cordially received upon their return by many friends.

—Mrs. A. P. Thomas, of Shallotte, is in the city, having been called here by the sickness of her son, Mr. W. C. Thomas, who is at the James Walker Memorial Hospital.

—Mrs. John J. Fowler returned yesterday evening from Greensboro where she spent Easter and several days thereafter with her daughter, Miss Nellie Fowler, who is a student at the State Normal and Industrial College.

THEIR ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE.

Delightful Journey of Colonial Dames to Old Brunswick Yesterday.

Nearly two hundred of the North Carolina Society of Colonial Dames of America and those interested in their worthy cause on yesterday enjoyed the sixth annual pilgrimage to the ruins of St. Philip's church, at Old Brunswick, down the Cape Fear river, the trip having been on the steamer "Wilmington." The exercises were of a pretty and impressive nature, the devotional services having been by the Rev. A. W. Seabreaze and the Rev. Harold Thomas. The singing of patriotic airs and hymns was led by Mr. E. C. Craft, cornetist, and all joined heartily in the several numbers, the words of which were printed on neat programmes issued for the occasion.

The special feature of the service this year was the re-interment of the lamented Chief Justice Alfred Moore, of sainted memory, and the reading by Mr. George Kidder of an address delivered by Junius Davis, Esq., of Wilmington, in presenting a few years ago the portraits of Justices Moore and James Iredell to the Supreme Court of North Carolina. The address was pronounced by all who heard it a very fine effort and rich in historical facts of which the present generation would well be informed. Mr. Kidder was presented by Eugene S. Martin, Esq.

The Dames were accompanied on their pilgrimage as usual by an honorary escort from the Wilmington Light Infantry, which consisted this year of Sergeant J. S. Hooper, Privates P. L. Cantwell, Everett, Zach Bell, Royall, L. B. McKoy, Willie Watters and Ed. Holmes.

The party returned to the city at 6:30 o'clock after a day of delightful pleasure and benefit.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT.

Proceedings Yesterday of No General Public Interest.

The United States Circuit Court convened here yesterday at 10 o'clock, Judge Thos. R. Purnell presiding. U. S. Marshal H. C. Dockery, Clerk S. P. Collier, Deputy Clerk J. K. Collier and all other court officers were in attendance. Cases on the equity docket were called and most of the important matters were continued until the adjourned term in June.

In the suit of the New Jersey and North Carolina Land and Lumber Company, et. al. vs. the Gardner-Lacy Lumber Co., a motion of Iredell Meares, Esq., was allowed, granting J. W. Brady, one of the defendants, 60 days to file answer or demurrer to the bill.

No answer having been made to the petition of J. C. Stevenson Co., W. E. Springer & Co., M. Rosemann & Son and L. W. Davis to have J. W. Joyner, surviving member of the firm of Harrelson & Co., general merchants, of Clarendon, N. C., adjudged an involuntary bankrupt, the case was referred to the referee in bankruptcy.

In the case of John C. Bornemann against the steamer A. J. Johnson, Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy, proctor for the respondent, made a motion to dismiss the cause on the ground that it had no standing in admiralty. Judge Purnell reserved his decision to hear further at 10 o'clock this morning from Col. Thos. Evans, proctor for the libellant.

An order was made in the case of M. Cohen Son & Co. vs. M. F. Crawford & Co., of Fayetteville, continuing the temporary receiver until June 1st.

At 12:30 o'clock a recess was taken until to-day.

MRS. MARY E. TURNER

Mothers of Mrs. John H. Craig, of This City, Dead.

The Elberton (Ga.) Star has the following notice of the death of the mother of Mrs. John H. Craig, of this city, who will return from Elberton Saturday, accompanied by Miss Turner, who will make her home in this city in the future:

"After a lingering illness of several months Mrs. Mary E. Turner's spirit took its flight to the God who gave it. She was quite well known in Elbert county, and had resided in Bowman for some time. She was prominently connected throughout the county. The remains were carried to Rock Branch church, as she was reared in that section. Rev. Brewer G. Boardman conducted the funeral services.

"Mrs. Turner is survived by four children—Mrs. Craig, of North Carolina; Mrs. J. A. Nabers, of near Dahlonega; Mr. Henry Turner, of Rock Branch neighborhood, and Miss Clara Turner, who has made such a remarkable reputation as a successful and popular teacher in the Bowman public school.

"The Star will join with the great host of friends in extending sympathy to the family over the loss of this estimable lady."

SPECIAL TRIAL OFFER

THE MORNING STAR

AT REDUCED RATES

For the next sixty days we will mail THE MORNING STAR to subscribers outside the city at the following reduced rates:

For One Year . . . . $4.00.
For Six Months . . . $2.00.

Positively, no subscription will be taken at the reduced rates for a period less than six months. For one month the price will be, as heretofore, $1.25 for three months; or, fifty cents for one month.

This offer, as will be noted, is for a limited period only, and is made for the purpose of giving those who appreciate the value of a daily newspaper an opportunity to read the STAR for six months, or more, at a cost of about one and a quarter cents per copy, and then determine whether or not they will continue their subscription at the regular price.

No name will be entered on our books under this offer unless the order is accompanied with the cash.

While this proposition is made primarily to secure new subscribers, old subscribers outside the city may avail themselves of its advantages at the reduced rate provided they pay all arrearages and for not less than six months in advance.

On account of the heavy expense attached to our city circulation department this offer does not apply to city subscribers.

Sample copies mailed free to any address.

Note the conditions of this offer carefully to avoid mistakes.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Don't Put Off

Ordering your Electric Fan.

The fan business already comes with a rush.

Order Your Fan Now.

apr 30—May 3&5-3t

AGENTS for DOUGLAS SHOES

Get the Notion!

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Wednesday Morning, May 3.

WORLD-WIDE TEXTILE PROSPERITY.

In view of our bumper cotton crop of 13,584,457 bales the past season, it may be some consolation to learn of a boom in the cotton manufacturing industry throughout the world. This may increase the demand for our cotton, and if the prosperity keeps up we are bound to get our share of it. We let the Manufacturers' Record tell us about world-wide textile prosperity in this editorial from that valuable journal:

"World-wide prosperity in cotton-manufacturing is shown in special letters published in this week's issue of the Manufacturers' Record, indicating that the remarkable activity in the iron and steel industry of America promises in the near future to be fully matched in phenomenal activity and prosperity in the cotton-goods trade not only of this country, but of the world. A comprehensive report on the conditions in England, prepared by a leading Manchester authority for the Manufacturers' Record, states that the export trade to China and India has been unprecedented in volume, the revival having commenced last Fall, and by October the manufacturers were sold seven or eight months ahead. Since then conditions have continued to improve, and the oldest trader finds it difficult to remember a time when the engagements of manufacturers were so deep—engagements, too, made on a basis profitable to them. In view of the heavy business done in January it had been expected that there would be a considerable slackening, but, on the contrary, the market continued surprisingly active, and a large business was done for delivery running 12 to 15 months ahead. The continuance of the active demand and the capacity of absorption were astonishing even to those who thought they understood the conditions of the Celestial Empire. As far as could be seen, price differences were a secondary matter, the period of delivery being the first consideration. At this time 635,000 looms are running full time in Great Britain, with a demand so difficult of fulfillment that it is said second-hand looms in good condition are being bought up at advancing prices. The exports for the first three months of the year were 1,530,000,000 yards, largely in excess of the same time last year. Both manufacturers and merchants seem to be of one mind as to the desirability of a pause, owing to the difficulty with shippers to keep up the promised deliveries. Manufacturers have advanced prices in order to check the demand.

"So great is this activity in British cotton circles that it is regarded there as phenomenal as is the marvelous expansion of the iron industry in this country. Fortunately, however, hte cotton manufacturers of the United States are beginning to share in the same prosperity, although the tide did not turn here quite so soon as in England. Reviewing the situation in the South, a correspondent, who has made special inquiry throughout that section, writes as follows:

"'For some weeks past there have been unmistakeable signs of the growing improvement in the cotton-mill business of this section—in fact, of the entire South. This is seen in the building of new mills and the enlargement of others. The whole Southern cotton-mill field has taken on the air of renewed prosperity, one of the factors being an increase in the export business, which is now being steadily worked up, and the export mills of the South are sold up at prices showing big profits, while the yarn mills are in a particularly good condition. One large mill making export goods has sold its entire production to May, 1906, and mill men state that they could sell goods far into next year's delivery if they would take orders now. The demand for goods may be said to be unprecedented in the history of cotton-manufacturing. The one great need is for ships to carry our goods. The foreign business is limited only by the carrying capacity of the ships available, and this fact is urged in favor of a ship subsidy. The home markets are holding their own, but are not as active as the export trade.'"

Let us hope that the reports of this world-wide textile prosperity is true, yet we note from Secretary Hester's cotton statistics published a few days ago that the mills in the South, North and Canada have taken of this year's crop only 3,587,488 bales against 3,547,966 bales last year—about the same—while the exports to foreign countries are 6,909,674 bales against 5,468,241 bales last year, an increased foreign taking of 1,441,433 bales. In other words, the increased takings of cotton this season both in this country and in foreign countries is only 1,480,955 bales more than last year when the cotton was not to be had to meet the demand, resulting in high prices for the staple.

LEE, THE MAINE AND CUBA.

The Northern press teems with eulogies on the lamented General Fitzhugh Lee, and many interesting incidents are being brought out in that connection. One of the editorials which pays a high tribute to General Lee and brings out a historic fact appeared in the Philadelphia Record on Sunday. It was as follows:

"Few Southern men have been more popular in the North than the late General Fitzhugh Lee. This was not due to his participation in the Spanish war; it would be more nearly correct to say that his commission from President McKinley was due to the esteem in which Northern men held him. He had a brilliant record as a cavalry commander in the Civil War; he was strikingly handsome; he possessed the elegant manners becoming a Virginia gentleman, the son and nephew and through both parents the grandson of distinguished men, and he was as frank as he was brave, handsome and honorable.

"In February, 1898, General Lee was Consul General in Havana, and he advised the Department of State that in the then state of public sentiment in that city the Maine should not be ordered there. The advice was good. In commenting on the visit of that ill-fated ship, The New York Tribune said that if the relations between the United States and Spain had been strained the visit would have been injudicious, but as they were perfectly amicable it was well-timed. Of course, every one knows that the relations were strained almost to the breaking point. It is said that the message of the Consul General arrived too late; the Maine had already started on her fatal trip.

"If the Maine had not gone to Havana the Spanish war would not have occurred. General Stewart L. Woodofrd, our Minister to Spain, said in a speech in Boston that but for the blowing up of the Maine he could have secured the separation of Cuba without war. At the time the Maine was sent to Havana the last American had been released from a Spanish prison. Weyler had been recalled, the reconcentrado policy had been abandoned and many of the peasantry had been sent back to their homes with a little money to enable them to begin cultivation, and Spain had granted Cuba autonomy, which President McKinley had assured the Spanish Government should have the time that he knew it would require to demonstrate its efficacy in allaying Cuban discontent."

TWINKLINGS.

—A Strain—"Will you be true to me while I am gone?" "Of course—but don't be gone long, will you dear?"—Cleveland Leader.

—She—"What is meant by the pipe of peace?" He—Can't imagine. Never yet smoked a pipe in the house but my wife made a fuss about it."—Detroit Free Press.

—"I don't suppose it would be of any use to ask you to stay to tea," she said, as he was about to depart. "No," he replied, "not in that style and tone of voice."—Chicago News.

—"What? Fell downstairs! How did it happen?" "Why, you see, I started to go down, and my wife said, 'Be careful, John!' And I'm not the man to be dictated to by any woman, so down I went.—Tit-Bits.

—Friend—If you weren't such a good fellow you'd make twice the money you do. Why can't you take a brace? Gaysome—Bracers, my boy, are the very things that keep me from working.—Detroit Free Press.

—Borrowell—"But, my dear boy, isn't Miss Shadds rather old for you?" Hardduppe—"Not at all. In fact, she's about two years too young. It will take fully that long for her father's estate to be settled."—Philadelphia Record.

"Lend me your umbrella, dear. It's raining, and I've got to go to the vestry meeting again to-night." "But, John, why don't you take the one you've been carrying for the past week?" "What, to the vestry meeting? Why, that's where I got it."—Philadelphia Press.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—The moral of the great Milwaukee defalcation is that it is immoral for a bank president to speculate.—Baltimore Sun.

—It must make Senator Platt feel like a blushing Remeo to hear that "The Love Letters of a Boss" are appraised at $35,000.—Baltimore Sun.

—There is no telling how much Miss Patterson's case may be prejudiced with jurors and with the romantic public by the newly discovered evidence that her real name is Ann Eliza.—Charlotte News and Courier.

—Here is a fact that city folks should remember when they are poking fun at the "country Reuben:" Farmers compose one-half of our population, but they only commit 2 per cent. of our crimes.—Kansas City Journal.

—The people of Chicago at their late election announced that the city should own the street railways. The announcement being made, it would be thought that the municipality would at once take charge of them. The only thing that stands in the way is that the city has not the money to buy them, and no law can be found which will permit their confiscation.—Dallas News.

—Just at present there is needed more than anything else a proper education of both the professional and the public mind to an earnest comprehension of the necessity for laws preventive of the spread of disease. It is also essential to impress upon communities the value, both economic and humane, of consumption canitaria and convalescent farms.—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

—While a great many other people are seriously doubting whether the cotton growers' movement will prove a success or not, President Jordan is serenely confident. His press bureau is sending out the most optimistic literature, all of which we hope is fully justified. It is hoped that Mr. Jordan's enthusiasm in the case has not misled him as to conditions.—Columbia Record.

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, May 2nd.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Market nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market, nothing doing.

TAR—Market firm at $1.80 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm at $2.50 per barrel for hard, $4.00 for dip and $4.50 for Virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin, firm, $2.40; tar, firm, at $2.00; crude turpentine, steady at $3.25 @$3.75.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	28
Rosin	17
Tar	73
Crude turpentine	30

Receipts same day last year—11 casks spirits turpentine; 8 barrels rosin, 169 barrels tar, 99 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market Steady 7.25.

Same day last year, nominal.

Receipts—318 bales; same day last year, 20 bales.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants prices representaing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, 90c.; extra prime, 95c.; fancy, $1.00, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 80c.; extra prime, 85c.; fancy, 90c. Spanish, 85@90c.

CORN—Firm; 60@65 per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, new, 12@12 1-2c. per pound; shoulders, 9c.; sides, dull, 9 to 10c.

EGGS—Dull at 14 @15c. per dozen.

CHICKENS—Dull. Springs, 15@25c.; Grown, 30@35c.

TURKEYS—Dull at 13c. for live; 18@20c. for dressed.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5 1-2@6c. per pound.

PORK—Firm at 6@7c. net.

PEAS—White, $1.50@$1.60; clay, $1.10@$1.15.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 75@80c. per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2@3 1-2c. per pound.

COTTON MARKETS.

New York, May 2.—The cotton market was nervous and unsettled, with a sharp early decline followed by a reaction to the closing prices of the previous day. The opening was weak at a decline of five to ten points and shortly after the market increased the decline by two or three points on the active months under scattering liquidation and bear pressure following lower Liverpool cables, good weather in the belt and heavier receipts than looked for. After selling off to about 7.42 for July good bull support developed and bears, seeing Wall street brokers with good buying orders, withdrew offerings allowing the market to creep to within four or five points of last night's close, when there was another break to nearly the previous low point, following the weekly weather report which was bearishly interpreted by certain local operators. The bulls again came to the support of the market checking the decline and in the late trading there was covering by the early sellers. The close was steady net unchanged to two points lower. Sales estimated 225,000 bales.

Spot closed firm; middling uplands, 7.90; middling gulf, 8.15; sales, 50 bales. Futures closed steady. May, 7.56; June, 7.45; July, 7.51; August, 7.56; September, 7.62; October, 7.69; November, 7.72; December, 7.78; January, 7.83; February, 7.87; March, 7.92.

Port Movement.

Galveston—Firm, 7 5-8c.; net receipts, 6,292 bales.

New Orleans—Steady, 7 7-16c.; net receipts, 5,305 bales.

Mobile—Firm—7 1-2c.; net receipts, 304 bales.

Savannah—Firm, 7 1-2c.; net receipts, 12,323 bales.

Charleston—Firm, 7 3-8c.; net receipts, 392 bales.

Wilmington—Steady, 7 1-4c.; net receipts, 318 bales.

Norfolk—Steady, 7 5-8c.; net receipts, 3,782 bales.

Baltimore—Nominal, 7 7-8c.; net receipts, 572 bales.

New York—Firm, 7.90; net receipts, 52 bales.

Boston—Quiet, 7.90; net receipts, 127 bales.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 8.15.

San Francisco—Net receipts, 100 bales.

Total to-day, at all ports—Net,29,567 bales; Great Britain, 3,359 bales; Japen, 100 bales; Stock, 656,247 bales.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 74,935 bales; Great Britain, 29,331 bales; Continent, 64,005 bales; Japan, 100 bales.

Total since September 1st, at all ports—Net, 8,596,940 bales; Great Britain, 3,203,065 bales; France, 694,417 bales! Continent, 2,762,873 bales; Japan, 204,634 bales; Mexico, 28,472 bales.

Houston—Steady, 7 5-8c.; net receipts, 5,907 bales.

Augusta—Steady, 7 11-16c.; net receipts, 1,531 bales.

Memphis—Firm, 7 11-16c.; net receipts, 531 bales.

St. Louis—Quiet, 7 11-16c.; net receipts, 300 bales.

Cincinnati — Quiet; net receipts, 733 bales.

Louisville—Firm, 7 15-16c.

Total—Net receipts, 9,022 bales.

Liverpool Cotton Market.

Liverpool, May 2.—Cotton.—Spot in moderate demand; prices two points lower; American middling fair, 4.75d.; good middling, 4.43d.; middling, 4.27d.; low middling, 4.11d.; good ordinary, 3.93d.; ordinary, 3.77d.

The sales of the day were 7.000 bales of which 1,000 were for speculation and export and included 6,500 American. Receipts 32,000 bales, including 27,800 American.

Futures opened quiet and closed easy; American middling G. O. C: May, 4.11d.; May and June, 4.11d.; July and June, 4.13d.; July and August, 4.15d.; August and September, 4.16d.; September and October, 4.18d.; October and November, 4.19d.; November and December, 4.20d.; December and January, 4.21d.; January and February, 4.22d.; February and March, 4.23d.; March and April, 4.24d.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, May 2.—Money on call firm, 2 3-4@3 1-4 per cent., closing bid, 2 1-2; offered at 2 3-4. Time money steady; sixty days, ninety days and six months, 3 1-2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 3 3-4@4 1-2 per cent. Sterling exchange closed firmer with actual business in bankers bills at 486.25@486.30 for demand and at 484.30@484.35 for sixty day bills. Posted rates, 485@485 1-2 and 487@487 1-2. Commercial bills 484 1-8@484 1-4. Bar silver, 56 3-4. Mexican dollars, 44 1-2.

N. Y. Bonds.

U. S. refunding 2s. reg.	104 1-2
U. S. refunding 2s cou.	104 5-8
U. S. 3s. reg.	104
U. S. 3s cou.	104 1-4
U. S. 4s reg.	132
U. S. 4s new cou.	132
U. S. 4s Old reg.	104 1-2
U. S. Old cou.	104 1-2
American Tobacco 4s cert	73 3-4
American Tobacco 6s cert	113 3-4
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	102 1-4
L. & N. Unified 4s	103 1-4
Seaboard Air Line 4s (bid)	85 1-4
Southern Railway 5s	119
U. S. Steel, 2d 5s	94 7-8

Closing Stock List.

Atlantic Coast Line	156 3-4
Baltimore & Ohio	106 3-4
Baltimore & Ohio, pfd.	96 1-2
Chesapeake & Ohio	51 1-4
Louisville & Nashville	147 1-4
Manhattan L.	163 1-4
Mexican Central	21 1-2
New York Central	144 1-2
Norfolk & Western	78 1-4
Norfolk & Western, pfd.	91 1-2
Pennsylvania	139 3-4
Reading	93 1-4
Reading, 1st pfd.	91
Reading, 2d pfd.	86 1-2
Southern Pacific	60 7-8
Southern Pacific	116 1-2
Southern Railway	31 1-4
Southern Railway, pfd.	95 1-2
American Sugar Refining	137 3-4
American Tobacco, pfd cert.	96 3-4
People's Gas	104 1-4
U. S. Steel	32 7-8
U. S. Steel, pfd	101 3-4
Amalgamated Copper	81 5-8
Tenn. Coal & Iron	86
Va.-Car. Chemical	35
Va.-Car. Chemical, pfd	106 1-2
S. A. L. com.	20
S. A. L., pfd (asked)	40
Standard Oil	625
Western Union	93

CHICAGO MARKET.

Chicago, May 2.—A liberal decrease in the world's visible supply had a strengthening effect on the wheat market here to-day. Falling off in primary receipts also tended to advance prices. At the close, July wheat was up 3-8c. Corn is up 1-2. Oats show a gain of 3-8@1-2. Provisions are a shade to 12 1-2c. higher.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat, No. 2.—				
May	91¼	93	91⅛	91⅞
July	83½	84	82⅞	83⅜
Sept.	79¾	80	79¼	79⅝
Corn, No. 2.—				
May	47¼	48⅜	47¼	48¼
July	46½	47⅛	46⅜	46⅞
Sept.	46⅝	47	46⅜	46⅝
Oats, No. 2.—				
May	28⅜	29⅜	28⅜	29⅜
July	28⅜	29¼	28⅜	29⅛
Sept.	28	28⅜	27⅞	28⅛
Mess Pork, per bbl.—				
May	11.77½	11.82½	11.77½	11.80
July	12.07½	12.15	12.07½	12.12½
Lard, per 100 lbs.—				
May	7.07½	7.07½	7.05	7.05
July	7.25	7.25	7.22½	7.25
Sept	7.37½	7.40	7.37½	7.40
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—				
May	....	....	....	6.87½
July	7.15	7.17½	7.15	7.17½
Sept	7.37½	7.40	7.37½	7.37½

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour, easy; No. 2 spring wheat, 90@95; No. spring wheat, 87@95; No. 2 red, 90 1-2@94 3-4; No. 2 corn, 49 1-4; No. 2 yellow, 50 1-4; No. 2 oats, 29 3-8@29 1-2; No. 3 white, 31 1-2@31 3-4; No. 2 rye, 73 1-2; Mess pork, per bbl., 11.80@11.85; Lard, per 100 lbs., 7.05@7.07 1-2; Short ribs sides (loose), 6.87 1-2@7.00; Short clear sides (boxed), 6.87 1-2@7.00; Whiskey, basis of high wines, 1.23.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, May 2.—FLOUR—Steady.

RYE FLOUR—Slow, fair to good, 4.10@4.60.

WHEAT—Spot firm, No. 2 red, 91 7-8. Options strong closing, 1-4@1 5-8c. net higher. May, 93 3-4; July, 88 7-8; September, 86 1-4.

CORN—Spot firm; No. 2, 56 1-2. Options stronger, closing 1-2 to 1 1-8c. net higher. May, 53 1-8; July, 52 1-4.

OATS—Spot steady; mixed oats, 34 1-2@35.

LARD—Steady; refined quiet.

PORK—Quiet.

TALLOW—Steady.

RICE—Steady.

MOLASSES—Steady.

COFFEE—Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice, 7 7-8; mild steady; Cordova, 10@13. Futures closed 5 to 10 points advance.

SUGAR—Raw steady; fair refining, 4; centrifugal 96 test 4 5-8; molasses sugar, 3 3-4; refined steady.

BUTTER—Steady; extra creamery, 26@26 1-2.

CHEESE—Firm, unchanged.

EGGS—Steady; western storage selections, 18; Southerns, 14 1-2@16.

POTATOES—Easy; Florida new, 2.50@4.50; State and Western, 75@1.00; Jersey sweets, 2.50@4.00.

PEANUTS—Quiet; fancy handpicked, 5 1-4@5 1-2; other domestic 3 1-4@5 1-2.

CABBAGES—Easy; Charleston per barrel crate, 1.00@1.25.

COTTON BY STEAM—To Liverpool, 10@14c.

COTTON SEED OIL—Firm, with trade light. Prime crude f. o. b., 20@20 1-2; prime summer yellow, 26 3-4@27; off summer yellow nominal; prime white, 29@29 1-2; prime winter yellow, 29 1-2@30.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, May 2.—Turpentine steady, 54 1-2 to 60; rosin steady.

Savannah, May 2.—Turpentine quiet, 56 3-4; receipts, 465; sales, 247; shipments, 115.

Rosin firm, receipts, 218; sales, 1,099; shipments, 1,049. Quote: A. B. C., 2.92 1-2; D., 2.97 1-2; E., 3.87 1-2; F., 3.12 1-2; G., 3.17 1-2; H., 3.35; I., 3.40; K., 3.70; M., 3.75; N., 3.80; W. G., 3.85; W. W., 4.05.

Charleston, May 2.—Turpentine and rosin nothing doing.

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Steamer Carib, McBeth, New York, H. G. Smallbones.

Steamer Johnson, Black, Clear Run, W. J. Meredith.

Schooner Edwina, 389 tons, Cavileer, New York, C. D. Maffitt.

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W. C. & A. Railroad—60 bales cotton, 5 casks spirits turpentine, 7 barreis tar.

A. & Y. Railrod—167 bales cotton, 11 casks spirits turpentine, 6 barrels rosin, 12 barrels tar,.

Steamer Johnson—12 casks spirits turpentine, 11 barrels rosin, 40 barrels tar.

Flat—1 barrel crude turpentine.

Total—318 bales cotton, 28 casks spirits turpentine, 17 barrels rosin, 72 barrels tar, 30 barrels crude turpentine.

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Account Fourth Annual Tournament Southern Golf Association. Tickets on sale May 7th, 8th and 9th. Final limit of tickets May 15th.

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Account National Baptist Anniversary. Tickets on sale May 14th, 15th and 16th. Final limit of tickets May 24th.

Asheville, N. C. and return.....$10.90

Account South Atlantic Missionary Conference. Tickets on sale May 16th and 17th for trains to arrive at Asheville before noon of May 18th. Final limit of tickets May 23d.

For information call on ticket agent or 'phone 160.

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Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over 60 years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind.

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For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
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QUARTER SIZES, 15C. EACH; 2 FOR 25C.
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MAKERS OF CLUETT AND MONARCH SHIRTS

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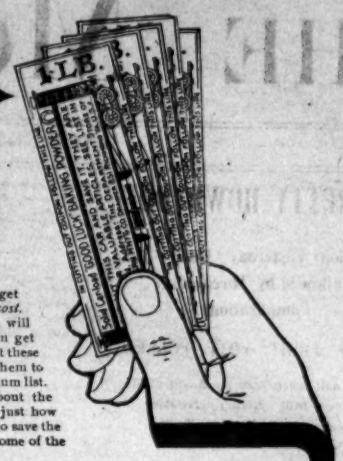
Baking Powder



Buy Good Luck Baking Powder. In so doing you get the *most* of the *purest* baking powder at the *smallest cost*. Furthermore, if you will save the coupons that you will find plainly printed *on the label* of each can, you can get the beautiful premiums we are now offering. Cut out these coupons. They are valuable. It takes but a few of them to obtain some of the numerous useful gifts on the premium list.

A little book inside of every can explains all about the premiums. It shows a picture of each gift and tells just how many coupons are required to get them. Don't fail to save the coupons. Take a delight in your baking and secure some of the charming premiums.

GOOD LUCK
Baking Powder

was established in 1892. The sales have so increased to date, that to-day we are shipping Good Luck Baking Powder in carload lots to every section of the country. The cause of this enormous popularity is plain. In Good Luck, housekeepers get not only a positively pure baking powder of great leavening force, but at a price a little less than they have been accustomed to pay for some other kind that was not as satisfactory in results.

When buying Good Luck think of its *purity* and consider the *good results* obtained from its use. Remember every Good Luck coupon counts for a present. If your grocer doesn't keep Good Luck, send us his name and we will see that you are supplied.

THE SOUTHERN MANUFACTURING CO.,
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Uniform excellent quality for over a quarter of a century has steadily increased the sales of LION COFFEE. The leader of all package coffees.

Lion Coffee

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Are Three Essentials to Every Man's Garment, and to These We Pay Particular Attention.

A gentleman remarked to us the other day "Your Garments look different from those we see at other stores." We strive to so select our styles as to give an individuality to them that is not to be seen in the every day garment. Our selections for Spring are just a little ahead of anything we have yet shown. Your careful inspection is invited.

The Best of All is Our Prices

$15.00 handsome, all wool suits, in Dark and Light Colors, $12.50, $8.00, $10.00, $7.50 and $4.00 Suits.

WE ARE UP TO THE STYLE.

75c. Men's Panama Straw Hats 50c.
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Have you a little angel in your home?

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BUTTON! — LACE! — STRAPS!
HIGH CUTS! — LOW CUTS!

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Cuban Blossom
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RENOWN CIGARS?
They are as Good as Ever.
Silver Coin Flour
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Black, Tan (light and dark) Pearl, Navy Blue, and Black legs with white feet. Fast colors. Sizes 9 to 12.
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In the good old summer time,
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Our suits of serge and summer things
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The weather man says Old Sol will be busy shortly.
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We've cool, smart Clothing that catches every breeze.
Cool Suits, in Serges, Homespuns, Wool Crashes, etc.
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Last, but not least, you will find our prices very cooling and comfortable.
We can do wonders in fixing you out for the Summer just as you would like to be fixed.
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DEPOSITS MADE AT THE
"The Little Gibraltar"
On or before MONDAY, MAY 1st, will bear interest from that date. If not already a depositor, now is an excellent time to begin.

Wilmington Savings and Trust Company.
J. W. NORWOOD, President. H. WALTERS, Vice President.
apr 29 tf C. E. TAYLOR, JR., Cashier.

Full Blooded Virginia Peanuts.

About 500 bushels just arrived from Virginia. Just the kind our people need for seed. Our home stock is too much mixed. Send your orders.

D. L. GORE CO., Wholesale Grocers and Importers,
apr 15 tf Wilmington, N. C.

Report of the Condition of **The Murchison National Bank,**
At close of business March 14, 1905 Began business March 1, 1897.)

Resources:		Liabilities.	
Loans and Discounts	$ 950,197 95	Capital	$ 300,000 00
U. S. Bonds (at par)	350,000 00	Surplus and net profits	143,706 81
Bank Building	25,000 00	Circulation	265,000 00
Cash on hand and in banks	674,834 39	Deposits	1,291,375 53
Total	$2,000,082 34	Total	$2,000,082 34

Comparative statement of deposits.
March 14th, 1901, $411,594 05. March 14th, 1903, $1,251,056 66. March, 14th, 1905, $1,291,875 53.
H. C. McQueen, President. J. V. GRAINGER, Cashier.
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BRICK! BRICK! BRICK!
BUILDING AND PAVING.
We are now prepared to fill orders with promptness and at close prices.
Also have in stock a full supply of "Building Material" including "Alpha" Portland Cement.
ROGER MOORE'S SONS & CO.,
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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

—State Auditor B. F. Dixon accepted an invitation to-day to deliver the address at the commencement of the Atlantic Christian College, Wilson, May 23rd.

—Mrs. Glenn, wife of Governor Glenn, left Raleigh on Monday for Macon, Ga., in response to a telegram announcing the death on Sunday of Mrs. E. T. H. Glenn, wife of the Governor's brother. The deceased was Miss Pemberton, daughter of J. A. Pemberton, of Fayetteville, was 43 years old, and leaves five children.

—At Charlotte on Monday S. S. McNinch, prohibitionists, who was one of Mecklenburg's representatives in the last Legislature, was elected mayor of the city. Dr. I. W. Faison, formely of Rupiln county, was elected one of the Aldermen, and Mr. J. A. Fore, formerly of Wilmington, one of the school commissioners.

—A series of Farmers' Institutes have been arranged by the State Department of Agriculture for the month of July 18th to August 12th, one under State Veterinarian Tait Butler, and the other under State Horticulturist H. H. Hume. Several members of the faculty of the A. & M. College, and two specialists from Washington will participate.

—Mr. A. H. Price, of Salisbury, went to Asheville Monday to try some cases in the Federal Court. He appeared last week before the Supreme Court of the United States, arguing the case of Wells vs. Gastonia Cotton Mills, involving $70,000. He has the distinction of being the youngest man who ever appeared before this tribunal from this State.

—The Raleigh city election on Monday was the most quiet ever known in Raleigh, it being the merest formality for the confirmation of the nomination made in the recent legalized Democratic primaries. Jas. I. Johnson is mayor, W. W. Wilson city clerk, Thos. Badger police justic, and Jno. S. Jones city tax collector. There was no ticket in opposition to any of the Democratic nominees.

—Charlotte Observer: For the week ending April 29th eleven Charlotte druggists filled 532 prescriptions for whiskey, a slight falling off as compared with the previous week. For the entire month of April less than 2,500 prescriptions for whiskey were filled as compared with 2,554 in March. Under the recently enacted city ordinance of the druggists are now required to file weekly reports of the whiskey transactions.

Raleigh correspondence Charlotte Observer: It seems settled now that the State board of education will soon make an order reducing the number of colored State normals from four to two. Last year they were reduced from six to four. The schools now in operation are at Winston, Franklinton, Elizabeth City and Fayetteville. The board is convinced that concentration, with more improved plants and apparatus, is the solution of the problem.

—At the town election in Smithfield the prohibitionists won over the dispensary advocates. Smithfield has had a dispensary for six years, but a number of the best people of the town have believed all the while that it was not morally right for the town to be selling whiskey. A bill was enacted by the last Legislature providing for an election to determine whether the dispensary should continue or prohibition prevail, and the prohibitionists won after a hard fight.

—At Raleigh on Monday the Secretary of State chartered the following corporations: The Moffatt Machinery Manufacturing Company, of Charlotte, capital, $100,000, J. H. McAden, Z. V. Kendrick, principal incorporators. The Vermont Mills (Incorporated) with $50,000 subscribed, and $100,000 authorized, to opperate cotton and woolen mills. The principal incorporators are J. H. Wilkin, D. A. Garrison, E. A. Tucker, S. J. Dunham. The principal office is at Bessemer City.

—Another streak of hard luck hit the Southern Saturday when the Ogden special was wrecked at Greenville, S. C., and the "hoo-doo" that effected that bit of misfortune was not content until two other mishaps had occurred, resulting in the partial wreck of through freight No. 74, near Old Fort Sunday night, and a short time afterwards, there was a landslide at Mud Cut. The wreck of 74 did considerable property damage and tore up the track for quite a distance, but fortunately none of the crew sustained injury. At Mud Cut a great mass of earth and stone was piled on the track, and but for the intelligence of a mountain girl, Nannie Gibson, aged 16 years, and her quick action, a mixed passenger and freight train would in all probability have been wrecked and several lives lost. The barefooted girl stood on the track with a red cloth and flagged down the train.

—A dispatch from Asheville on Monday says: Buck Shoals, the home of the lates "Bill" Nye, situated on the French Broad river, some twelve miles from this city, and made famous by the writings of the lamented humorist, has been purchased by Mrs. Sophia Harrison-Eastmas, of Chicago, sister of Carter H. Harrison, for several years mayor of the Windy City. The property was purchased from Mrs. P. V. English, of this city, who bought Buck Shoals from the Nye heirs a short time after Nye's death. It is said that Mrs. Eastmas intends making many improvements to her purchase and will make Buck Shoals her permanent home. She is at present a resident of Chicago and came here on a visit a short time ago. She was well pleased with this section of the country and decided to move here. Buck Shoals contains about one hundred acres and adjoins the Biltmore estate. The house and grounds are beautifully situated and universally admired.

Mr. Minard Giles, a young man of Newton, was killed by a train on the Southern Railway at Conover Sunday night.

A dispatch from Salisbury on Monday says: Calvin Cowan, colored, is in jail here on a charge of murder. A coroner's jury yesterday decided unanimously that he killed John Watson, another colored man, Saturday night, and the defendant is held without bail. Saturday night Sheriff Julian was notified that Watson had been killed by a train near the Brown Furniture Factory. There was no thought of foul play, and it was during the preparation for burial that a coroner's inquest was suggested. After examining four witnesses, Cowan among them, it was unanimously agreed that Cowan was the murderer of the dead man. The accused fellow was then landed in jail for next week's court. The examination of the witnesses developed enmity between the two men because of Cowan's intimacy with Watson's wife. Watson had remained at home several days last week to break up the prisoner's visits to his home during his absence. Two witnesses testified that Cowan and Watson were quarreling Saturday night, and both cleared the railroad track as a train passed. After the cars had gone by Watson was missed and the witnesses asked what had become of him. Cowan said he supposed the train had killed him.

LIST OF LETTERS.

Remaining Uncalled For in the Wilmington Postoffice, May 2, 1905.

Women's List.

Miss Amey Barnes, Francis Boykins, Eulie Bryant, Mary A. Curtis, Mrs. Alice Davis, Miss. E. L. Diomorton, Mrs. M. J. Ellis, Emma Jane How, Annie Howell, Adline Lane, Teah Lewis, Emma McCutcheon, Sarah McGuire, Fannie P. Redman, Myatt Smith, Minnie Stafford, Allice Standley, Mrs. James P. Thompson, Fannie Walker, Mrs. M. Wescott, Dave Williams, Lizzie Williams, Octavaus Williams.

Men's List.

Wesley Adkins (2), Robert D. Allen, Rev. E. C. Andrews, Losson Andrews, Jesse Borham, Heary Brown, J. B. Brown, W. P. Connor, John Crose, W. W. Croawall, Willie Dardon, Frank Davis, U. G. Dellinger, H. C. Dischaw, Jr., N. A. Dodd, Mr. and Mrs. George Emerson, H. F. Finger, Lt. Co. John B. Fuller, Willie Gaylor, R. T. Gillis, Mr. W. B. Glenn, Claud W. Graves, Miss E. Green & Bro., E. G. Griffin, Goshey Hall, William Harker, Jr., D. Harper, Livi Henderson, A. D. Herring, E. W. Hester, L. D. Hollingsworth, York Hunter, Frank Johnson, Isaac Johnson, Sam Jordan, Rev. T. S. Kerr, Howard McKoy, James A. Mears, Willis P. Mills, Louis Miller, J. T. Mintz, Elliott Missouri (2), Lu Cumber, Tom Rally, W. T. Spencer, Chas. Sprunt, Lee Steel, J. W. Taylor, J. W. Tourtellot, D. B. Turpen, J. H. Wishart, Iscar Whitherspoon.

One cent due is charged on letters advertised.

Letters to strangers or transient visitors to a town or city, whose special address may be unknown, should be marked in the lower left-hand corner with the word "Transient."

Persons calling for above letters will please say advertised. If not called for in fifteen days they will be sent to the dead letter office.

T. E. WALLACE, Postmaster.

CLEANLY WOMAN.

Erroneously Thinks by Scouring Her Scalp That She Cures Dandruff.

Cleanly woman has an erroneous idea that by scouring the scalp, which removes the dandruff scales, she is curing the dandruff. She may wash her scalp every day, and yet have dandruff her life long, accompanied by falling hair, too. The only way in the world to cure dandruff is to kill the dandruff germ, and there is no hair preparation that will do that but Newbro's Herpicide. Herpicide by killing the dandruff germ, leaves the hair free to grow as healthy Nature intended. Destroy the cause you remove the effect. Kill the dandruff germ with Herpicide. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

HARDIN'S PHARMACY, Special Agent.

Saved by Dynamite.

Sometimes a flaming city is saved by dynamiting a space that the fire can't cross. Sometimes, a cough hangs on so long, you feel as if nothing but dynamite would cure it. Z. T. Cray, of Calhoun, Ga., writes: "My wife had a very aggragated cough, which kept her awake nights. Two physicians could not help her; so she took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs, and Colds, which eased her cough, gave her sleep, and finally cured her." Strictly scientific cure for bronchitis and La Grippe. At R. R. Bellamy's drug store, price 50 c. and $1.00 guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

A Creeping Death.

Blood poison creeps up toward the heart, causing death. J. E. Stearns, Belle Plaine, Minn., writes that a friend dreadfully injured his hand, which swelled up like blood poisoning. Bucklen's Arnica Salve drew out the poison, healed the wound, and saved his life. Best in the world for burns and sores. 25c. at R. R. Bellamy's drug store.

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To quality when buying drugs, because purity and freshness is absolutely essential to obtain the proper results.

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From 35 to 75 cents Per Pound.

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GERTRUDE JENKINS.

New Strength—
Increased Vigor.

It is easy to get into a run down state and stay that way and forget what real health is.

We never appreciate real health when we have it.

After feeling all run down, nervous and tired out, month after month, most people simply hope against hope that they will feel better soon.

Instead of trying to do something to help themselves feel better, they depend on hope.

The only way to really help yourself is to get new strength and increased vigor.

Win back your right to feel strong and well every day.

A well person ought to wake up with a laugh every morning.

Health, vigor, determination, courage—in fact, all that makes life worth living depends upon a healthy supply of **Nerve Force.**

Paine's Celery Compound builds up the supply of **Nerve Force,** it revives the old force and makes new. It not only does this, but by strengthening the nerves that control all the organs of the body, it cures the real cause of headaches, neuralgia, rheumatism, malaria, and the many diseases coming from a run down condition of the nerves.

Gertrude Jenkins allowed herself to gradually sink into nervous prostration, one of the final states that tired, abused nerves reach. Her experience is valuable to all those who feel "run down," "tired out" and are not helping themselves to get back to real health.

"Paine's Celery Compound cured me of nervous prostration when I was so weak and used up that I had to lie down part of each day. The doctor advised me to go away and take a vacation to build up, but I could not give the time or money. Paine's Celery Compound built me up within two weeks,—my headaches disappeared, my appetite returned and the aches and pains gave way to new strength, life and increased vigor. I enjoy perfect health today and used less than five bottles of Celery Compound, so know by experience how valuable it is."—Gertrude Jenkins, 714—63d St., Chicago, Ill. (Member Ladies of the Maccabees.)

"Nervousness," "nervous prostration," "nerve decline,"—that run-down, worn-out feeling,—nine times in ten are simply the result of prejudice, carelessness, or ignorance.

Prof. Phelps, of Dartmouth University, was the first physician to enunciate the principle which to-day is recognized as one of the foundations of the science of medicine,—the great enlightening truth, that the nerve system rules all the body's health.

He sought and found the food that builds up and restores the nerves—his celery formula, which has become famous as Paine's Celery Compound—the celebrated nerve vitalizer and tonic.

Paine's Celery Compound is giving **New Nerve Force** to thousands every day by feeding and restoring the nerves to their full strength. It never fails to build up the run down system to full, ruddy health.

Two days' treatment proves its marvelous power. It braces you up. You feel better at once.

Sick headache, palpitation, dizziness, and heartburn are usually relieved by a single dose of Paine's Celery Compound.

For over 18 years Paine's Celery Compound has been the most universally used nerve vitalizer and tonic in the world.

Remember this,—Paine's Celery Compound is the prescription of one of the most famous physicians this country has ever known, and all reputable Druggists sell and recommend it.

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Leave Wilmington daily except Saturday and Sunday, 9:15 A. M.. Leave Wilmington, Saturday, 4:45 A. M. and 2 P. M.. Leave Sunday, 9:30 A. M., 2:30 P. M., touching at Carolina Beach down and return trips.

J. W. HARPER.
apr 29 1m

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Farris' Ice Cream

Southern Trading Stamps Given With All Cash Orders.

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For Salmon, Lobsters, Codfish and Mackerel.
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Prompt Delivery.
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Direct Line to Principal Cities North, West and South.
Effective, April 16, 1905.

Between Wilmington and New York.

Read Down			Read Up
12 25 p m	Lv. New York	Ar.	4 15 p m
2 55 p m	Lv. Philadelphia	Lv.	1 45 p m
5 10 p m	Lv. Baltimore	Lv.	11 30 a m
6 25 p m	Lv. Washington	Lv.	10 10 a m
10 00 p m	Lv. Richmond	Lv.	6 35 a m
2 35 a m	Lv. Raleigh	Lv.	1 50 a m
5 53 a m	Lv. South'n Pines	Lv.	11 20 p m
8 50 a m	Lv. Hamlet	Lv.	10 10 p m
12 45 p m	Ar. Wilmington	Lv.	2 00 p m

Between Wilmington, Norfolk and Portsmouth.

Read Down			Read Up
8 24 p m	Lv. Norfolk	Ar.	8 20 a m
9 00 p m	Lv. Portsmouth	Ar.	8 00 a m
1 53 a m	Lv. Henderson	Lv	2 58 a m
5 35 a m	Lv. Raleigh	Lv.	1 30 a m
7 00 a m	Ar. Hamlet	Lv.	10 30 p m
8 50 a m	Lv. Hamlet	Ar.	7 35 p m
12 45 p m	Ar. Wilmington	Lv.	3 00 p m

Between Wilmington, Atlanta and Birmingham.

Read Down			Read Up
7 30 a m	Lv. Birmingham	Ar.	2 35 p m
3 05 p m	Ar. Atlanta	Lv.	8 00 a m
9 00 p m	Lv. Atlanta	Ar.	7 40 a m
11 23 p m	Ar. Athens	Lv.	6 05 a m
1 56 a m	Lv. Greenwood	Lv	3 35 a m
4 06 a m	Lv. Chester	Lv.	1 20 a m
7 10 a m	Ar. Hamlet	Lv.	10 10 p m
8 50 a m	Lv. Hamlet	Ar.	7 35 p m
12 45 p m	Ar. Wilmington	Lv.	3 00 p m

Between Wilmington, Savannah, Montgomery, Jacksonville and Tampa.

Read Down			Read Up
8 30 a m	Lv. Tampa	Ar.	6 35 p m
1 53 p m	Lv. Tallahasse	Ar.	2 20 p m
5 20 p m	Ar. Jacksonville	Lv.	10 00 a m
7 50 p m	Lv. Jacksonville	Ar.	8 45 a m
12 10 a m	Lv. Savannah	Lv.	4 35 a m
5 30 a m	Lv. Columbia	Lv.	1 15 a m
6 24 a m	Lv. Camden	Lv.	12 19 a m
8 35 a m	Ar. Hamlet	Lv.	10 10 p m
8 50 a m	Lv. Hamlet	Ar.	7 35 p m
12 45 p m	Ar. Wilmington	Lv.	3 00 p m

Between Wilmington, Hamlet, Charlotte and Rutherfordton

Read Down				Read Up
		Rutherf'd'tn		
3 40 p	Lv.	Shelby	Ar.	2 05 p
4 50 p	Lv.	Lincoln'n	Lv.	12.45 p
5 47 p	Lv.	Charlotte	Lv.	11 43 a
7 23 p	Ar.	Charlotte	Lv.	10 08 a
5 01 a	Lv.	Monroe	Ar.	10 45 p
5 45 a	Lv.	Hamlet	Lv.	9 55 p
7 20 a	Ar.	Hamlet	Lv.	7 55 p
4 40 p	8 40 a	Lv.	Maxton	Ar. 7 35 p 11 05 a
5 25 p	9 25 a	Lv	Lumberton	Lv. 6 40 p 10 18 a
10 p	10 15 a	Lv.	Clarkton	Lv. 5 26 p 9 31 a
55 p	11 03 a	Lv.	Wilmington	Lv. 4 40 p 8 42 a
8 50 p	12 45 p	Ar.		Lv. 2 00 p 7 00 a

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EASTBOUND.

Stations.	No. 3.	No. 5.
Lv. Goldsboro	3 45 p m	8 00 a m
Lv. LaGrange	4 16 p m	8 28 a m
Lv. Kinston	4 40 p m	8 52 a m
Lv. Dover	5 02 p m	9 14 a m
Lv. Cove	5 16 p m	9 27 a m
Lv. Tuscarora	5 26 p m	9 37 a m
Ar. Newbern	6 45 p m	10 00 a m

	No. 7 (Accom)
Lv. New Bern	5 55 p m 10 10 a m
Lv. Riverdale	6 15 p m 10 28 a m
Lv. Havelock	6 41 p m 10 44 a m
Lv. Newport	6 47 p m 11 00 a m
Ar. Morehead City	7 12 p m 11 23 a m

WESTBOUND.

	No. 4	No. 8 (Accom)
Lv Morehead City	7 40 a m	4 30 p m
Lv. Newport	8 11 a m	4 57 p m
Lv. Havelock	8 27 a m	5 13 p m
Ar. New Bern	9 00 a m	5.29 p m
Lv. Riverdale	9 42 a m	5 45 p m

	No. 6
Lv. New Bern	9 15 a m 6 10 p m
Lv. Tuscarora	9 37 a m 6 32 p m
Lv. Cove	9 49 a m 6 44 p m
Lv. Dover	10 03 a m 6 58 p m
Lv. Kinston	10 27 a m 7 20 p m
Lv. LaGrange	10 51 a m 7 42 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	11 20 a m 8 10 p m

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REPORT

OF THE CONDITION OF THE Atlantic Trust & Banking Co., at Wilmington, N. C., at the close of business, March 14, 1905.
Began business September 1902.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$473,472 10
Demand loans	24,050 00
Due from banks	17,302 17
Gold coin	395 00
Furniture and fixtures	100 00
Silver coin	236 65
Cash items	3 77
National bank notes and other U. S. notes	1,016 00
Total	$516,575 69

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000 00
Profits and Loss	15,470 94
Unearned interest	2,500 00
Cashier's checks	150 00
Certified checks	25 00
Deposits	448,429 75
Total	$516,575 69

State of North Carolina, county of New Hanover, ss.:
I, Milton Calder, cashier of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
MILTON CALDER, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 20th day of March, 1905.
S. M. BOATWRIGHT, Notary Public.
Correct—Attest:
ROBERT R. BELLAMY,
I. M. BEAR,
D. McEACHERN,
Directors.
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REPORT

OF THE CONDITION OF THE Atlantic National Bank at Wilmington, N. C., at the close of business, March 14th, 1905.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 822,665 82
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		921 39
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		125,000 00
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. deposits		77,000 00
U. S. Bonds on hand		16,000 00
Stocks, securities, &c.		36,850 00
Banking houses, furniture, and fixtures		20,000 00
Other real estate owned		10,000 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		128,647 13
Due from State Banks and Bankers		104,710 91
Due from approved reserve agents		85,434 09
Checks and other cash items		150 00
Notes of other National Banks		12,675 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		253 50
Lawful Money Reserve in bank viz:		
Specie	$18,021 00	
Legal tender nts.	$32,396 00	50,417 00
Redemption fund with U. S Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		3,050 25
Total		$1,493,675 14

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 125,000 00
Surplus fund	125,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	84,332 92
National Bank notes outstanding	125,000 00
Due to other National Banks	105 733 72
Due to State Banks and Bankers	82,425 76
Dividends unpaid	551 00
Individual deposits subject to check	715,815 05
Certified checks	904 97
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,411 72
United States deposits	77,000 00
Total	$1,493,675 14

State of North Carolina, county of New Hanover, ss.:
I, J. W. Yates, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
J. W. YATES, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of March, 1905.
GEORGE SLOAN, Notary Public.
Correct—Attest:
JAS. H. CHADBOURN,
D. McEACHERN,
C. W. YATES,
Directors.
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Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect April 16, 1905.

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48	No. 42
Lv. Wilmington	9 00 a m	6 50 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	12 15 p m	9 32 p m
Ar. Wilson	1 16 p m	10 25 p m
Ar. Rocky Mount	1 55 p m	11 10 p m
Ar. Norfolk	5 55 p m	.....
Ar. Weldon	4 58 p m	1 47 a m
Ar. Petersburg	6 55 p m	3 22 a m
Ar. Richmond	7 45 p m	4 07 a m
Ar. Washington	11 50 p m	7 54 a m
Ar. Baltimore	1 43 a m	9 09 a m
Ar. Philadelphia	4 25 a m	11 22 a m
Ar. New York	7 30 a m	2 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41	No. 49
Lv. New York	9 25 a m	9 25 p m
Ar. Philadelphia	11 56 a m	12 01 a m
Ar. Baltimore	2 07 p m	2 32 a m
Ar. Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar. Norfolk	.....	9 00 a m
Lv. Richmond	7 25 p m	9 05 a m
Ar. Petersburg	8 05 p m	9 45 a m
Ar. Weldon	9 51 p m	11 44 a m
Ar. Rocky Mount	10 51 p m	1 10 p m
Ar. Wilson	11 32 p m	2 00 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	6 58 a m	3 10 p m
Ar. Wilmington	10 00 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv Wilmingt'n	6 00 am	3 45 pm	6 50 pm
Ar Florence	9 35 am	7 40 pm	3 55 am
Ar Charlest'n	1 20 pm	11 40 pm	6 50 am
Ar Savannah	6 45 pm	2 50 am	9 05 am
Ar Jack'ville	.....	8 40 am	1 45 pm
Ar Tampa	.....	6 55 pm	11 00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	8 40 p m	9 00 a m
Ar. Jacksonville	7 55 a m	7 00 p m
Ar. Savannah	12 55 p m	7 15 a m
Lv. Charleston	4 15 p m	6 15 a m
Ar. Florence	7 35 p m	9 25 a m
Ar. Wilmington	11 45 p m	1 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	West Bound Daily.	East Bound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	8 50 a m	Ar. 8 00 p m
Ar. Fayetteville	12 15 p m	Ar. 4 55 p m
Ar. Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv. 3 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

	N. Bound Daily ex Sun.	South Bound.
Lv. Wilmington	2 35 p m	Ar. 12 30 p m
Ar. Newbern	5 40 p m	Lv. 9 10 a m

Trains Nos. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington connecting with Pennsylvania R. R. for all points east.
W. J. CRAIG, Gen'l Passenger Agent.
H. M. Emerson, Traffic Manager.
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To The Beach and Wrightsville.

In effect April 15, 1905.

Suburban Schedule (Daily except Sunday.)

Leave Front and Princess.	Leave the Beach.
6.30 A. M.	7.15 A. M.
*8.00 A. M.	8.45 A. M.
10.00 A. M.	12.15 P. M.
1.00 P. M.	2.15 P. M.
2.00 P. M.	3.15 P. M.
3.00 P. M.	4.15 P. M.
4.00 P. M.	5.15 P. M.
5.00 P. M.	6.15 P. M.
*6.00 P. M.	6.45 P. M.
*7.30 P. M.	8.15 P. M.

Lv. Wrightsville.
9.00 P. M. Wrightsville only. 9.30 P. M.
*10.00 P. M. 10.30 P. M.
*Trains leaving Front and Princess at 8.00 A. M., 6.00, 7.30 and 10.00 P. M., will go to the Beach on request.

CITY SCHEDULE.

Regular City Cars.

Brooklyn and Belt line cars leave Front and Princess streets every 10 minutes beginning at 7.25 A. M., daily except Sunday. Sunday at 8.25 A. M. Last Brooklyn and Belt line cars leave Front and Princess streets at 12.05 midnight.

Hospital and Cemetery Cars.
(Without change).

Leave Front and Princess	Leave Cemetery
9.00 A. M.	9.30 A. M
3.30 P. M.	3.45 P. M
4.00 P. M.	4.15 P. M
4.30 P. M.	4.45 P. M
5.00 P. M.	5.15 P. M

A. C. L. Depot Car.
(Without change.)

Leave Front and Princess	Leave A. C. L. Depot
10.00 A. M.	10.10 A. M.
5.40 P. M.	6.00 P. M.

S. A. L. Car.
(Without change.)

Leave Front and Princess	Leave S. A. L. Depot.
6.40 A. M.	7.00 A. M.
12.35 P. M.	12.46 P. M.
2.35 P. M.	3.00 P. M.
8.35 P. M.	8.45 P. M.

FREIGHT CAR.

Leave 9th and Orange Sts.	Leave the Beach.
4.00 P. M.	6.00 P. M.

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The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Wednesday Morning, May 3.

TROOPS KILLED SIXTY IN WARSAW ON MONDAY

Two Hundred People Were Wounded—Strets Patrolled by Calvary—People Bitter Against Soldiers.

By Cable to The Morning Star.

Warsaw, May 2.—9:11 A. M.—The May day death roll totalled sixty-two, including ten persons who died in the hospitals during the night. Probably two hundred were wounded.

Some minor disturbances occurred to-day in different sections of the city, but no casualties have yet been reported. All day long infantry and cavalry patrolled the streets which were crowded with people who did not spare their criticism of what was generally termed unnecessary slaughter. The popular irritation could not be concealed. The soldiers evidently were nervous and open outbreaks resulting in a repetition of yesterday's terrible scenes were only averted by the evident desire of the authorities to prevent a clash coupled with the fear inspired by the soldiers bullets. The population is most bitter against the military and the government officials except many attempts at revenge upon the officers commanding the troops all of whom are known.

The nationalists have arranged usual demonstrations for to-morrow, the 114th anniversary of the proclamation of the Polish constitution, and disturbances are highly probable. The workingmen are in an ugly and uncertain mood. The workmen at all the factories struck to-day and great efforts are being made to bring about a general strike, but this is not likely to be successful. The people have not yet recovered from the exhaustion and losses resulting from the last strike.

The industrial population are deeply exasperated over the sanguinary results of yesterday's encounters. The strikes inaugurated on a large scale here at Lodez, and in other cities are rapidly spreading, and 75,000 persons are on strike in Lodez. Cossacks are patrolling the streets of Warsaw by companies on account of the danger to smaller detachments.

A great crowd which gathered today in front of the police stations to which corpses of those killed on Monday had been taken, demanding the bodies of their dead, was dispersed by Cossacks.

According to an official statement the dead, not including those of the wounded who died in hispitals, numbered thirty-one. The majority of the dead were working people.

In Lodez, according to an official report, four women were killed.

GENERAL LEE'S FUNERAL.

Distinguished Soldier Will Be Buried To-Morrow Afternoon at 2 O'clock.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Richmond, Va., May 2.—The funeral of General Fitghuzh Lee will take place Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the historic old St. Paul's Episcopal church, and will be attended by the largest gathering of military bodies seen here since the Spanish-American war and the largest assemblage of Confederate veterans since the last grand re-union.

Practically every military company in the State will be present, the railways have tendered free transportation to such organizations for the occasion. There will also be a large attendance of distinguished men from outside of Virginia, as well as from the old Commonwealth itself.

Governor Warfield and the Attorney General of Maryland, will be present, and it is reported that Governor Douglass, of Massachusetts, and members of his staff will be among the visitors from abroad, though their report cannot be verified to-night.

All the members of General Lee's immediate family will be present, except Lieutenant Fitzhugh Lee, who is in the Philippines, and Mrs. Brown, who is en voyage for the eastern Archipelago, with her soldier husband. Captain Robert E. Lee, the son of General Robert E. Lee, and Colonel Robert E. Lee, Jr., son of the late General W. H. F. "Rooney" Lee, will also be at the funeral. It is not know, but is though probable that General G. W. Custis Lee will attend.

Virginia will be fully represented in its every department, civil, military and judicial, and Richmond and other cities of the Commonwealth will be represented in like formal and complete manner. The funeral pageant promises to be imposing.

Ex-Governor O'Ferrall is to be chief marshal of the parade and the list of honorary pallbearers includes many of the most distinguished men in the State.

General Lee's body will continue to lie in state at the city hall until shortly before the funeral, unless it shall be found necessary, as it is intimated to-night may be the case, to close the casket to-morrow morning, in which case, the remains will be taken to St. Paul's church to await the funeral there.

All day there has been a stream of people, of all classes and conditions, passing through the rotunda of the city hall and looking their last upon the loved and honored dead. The military guard over the remains is being maintained by details from the city organizations.

SOUTHERN PUBLISHERS.

Prominent Newspaper Men Enjoying Hospitality of Charleston.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Charleston, S. C., May 2.—The Southern Publishers' Association met at the Charleston Hotel this morning at 10 o'clock and after being called to order by President Cabaniss, of Atlanta, was welcomed to the city by Mayor R. Goodwin Rhett, the response being made by Mr. Cabaniss. After a short business session the party was taken in hand by the local entertainment committee and took a flying trip through the city on trolley cars, stopping at the custom house wharf where all embarked for Sullivan's Island and the Isle of Palms. At Fort Moultrie the visitors and their hosts were received by Colonel Caziar, commanding the United States artillery post, and shown over the great modern fortifications. The visit to the Isle of Palms was particularly pleasant, as lunch was served and enjoyed. Returning to the city at 4 o'clock all hands attended the game of baseball at the park between Charleston and Jacksonville.

To-night the newspaper men are being entertained with an informal reception and dance at the Commercial Club. Regular business sessions will be held to-morrow morning and a trip to the Charleston navy yard is on the programme for the afternoon. To-morrow night the city of Charleston will tender to the Association a banquet at the Charleston Hotel. The topics for discussion at the meetings to-morrow, include a number of matters of considerable interest. While the attendance is fairly good several members and expected guests have been forced to give up the trip and have sent regrets.

VIOLENCE REIGNS IN WINDY CITY

Streets Thronged With Strikers, Who Shoot, Cut and Club People.

ONE MAN KILLED YESTERDAY

Mobs Use Pistols, Knives, Clubs and Stones—Minister Brutally Beaten—Vengeance on Negro Breakers.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Chicago, May 2.—The strike situation in Chicago assumed a peculiar aspect today and tonight the interests which have been opposing the striking steamsters are not as united as heretofore. The cause of this slight dissension is the Team Owners' Association, which has contracts with the railroads and many of the large firms throughout the city to transfer their merchandise. Until today it was supposed that the Employers' Association and their allies were firmly bound together in the fight for supremacy against the teamsters.

The Team Owners Association, which employs none but union teamsters flatly refused this afternoon to make deliveries to any of the firms involved in the strike, when asked to do so by the Employers' Association at a conference at the Union League Club. When the employers received this ultimatum they notified the team owners that unless the request that no discriminations were made in deliveries were granted an effort would be made to have all existing contracts between team owners and the business houses and the railroads cancelled.

During the day the employers had informed Mayor Dunne and Chief of Police O'Neill that they intended to move to-morrow 1,885 wagons, owned by them and the different express companies and manned by non-union men. This necessitated a call for the swearing in of 1,000 additional policemen, but after the conference at the Union League Club, the employers modified their plans and informed the City Hall officials that they would only increase very slightly the number of wagons in service. Although the plans have been changed as to the moving of the wagons, the new men will be added to the police force to-morrow and will be put on strike duty as rapidly as they are needed. Nine hundred of them will be placed on State street alone. The large retail establishments have announced that they will make deliveries. There have been numerous complaints of interference by the strikers with women shoppers and the authorities have determined to put an effectual stop to all such practices.

Judge J. J. Kohlsaat, of the United States Circuit Court, at the request of the attorneys representing the seven express companies, to-day issued a temporary injunction restraining all persons from interfering with the wagons of the petitioners of the men employed upon them.

The fighting to-day in the streets was even more fierce and savage than that of yesterday. The strikers and their sympathizers attacked the non-union men at every opportunity, assailing them with bricks, stones, clubs, knives and any and every other offensive weapon upon which they could lay their hands. The fighting occurrtd in the heart of the business section of the city, men being shot down within two hundred feet of the retail store of Marshall Field & Company and clubbed nearly to death at the corner of the Auditorium Hotel in plain view of hundreds of ladies who were compelled to run from the mob to save their own lives. In many instances men walking along the streets who had no active connection whatever with the strike were assaulted by hoodlums who beat them first and later accused them of being strike-breakers. A notable instance of this kind was that of the Rev. W. K. Wheeler, pastor of the Ninth Presbyterian church, who while passing the corner of Des Plaines and Adams streets on his way to the Pennsylvania depot, was attacked by three men who knocked him down and beat him unmercifully, until the timely arrival of the police saved him from further injury. Mr. Wheeler managed to hold one of his assailants until the police could arrest him.

William Miles, a colored waiter, while at work in a lunch room at Adams and Sangamon streets, half a mile from any former scene of rioting during the strike, was also a victim of the strikers' fury, although he had had no connection whatever with the trouble. He was accused of being a strike-breaker, was pounded on the head with a billy, and knocked down and trampled upon. Miles was removed to the hospital where his injuries were pronounced severe.

As far as known but one man was struck on the forehead in a fight near the Auditorium Hotel. He died of a fractured skull at a hospital where he had been taken. A partial list of the injured foot up forty-two.

A. S. Utely, floor manager for Montgomery, Ward & Company, who has been active in the interests of Ward & Company since the commencement of the strike, was attacked by three men who, he thinks, had been following him for several days, while passing a vacant lot in Oakenwalk avenue. The men knocked him down and kicked him in a terrific manner about the head and face. He knocked one of them down with a billy and the others ran.

Although it was announced last night that the teams of the express companies and of the Employers' Association would be handled by men armed with rifles to-day, nothing of the kind was attempted, save in the case of fifteen drivers employed by the Scott Transfer Company. Mayor Dunne and Chief of Police O'Neil made every effort to prevent the carrying of rifles and Superintendent Reid of the Teaming Association informed them that he had not contemplated arming his men as stated. The Scott men carried rifles throughout the day and none of them were molested.

The strike to-day did not spread in any degree. No more men were called out and from present apearances there is no immediate prospect that any more teamsters will strike.

Rioting near the Auditorium Hotel broke out this afternoon when coal wagons for the Edwin F. Daniels Coal Company, driven by two colored men and guarded by forty others, were attacked by a crowd of 3,000 persons. All along State street the negroes experienced trouble but they were able to protect themselves with their hickory clubs. When ever the crowd would attempt to rush at the wagons the colored men would use their clubs, mauling the strike sympathizers unmercifully.

The mob finally made an assault on the negroes and overpowered them, beating them savagely. One colored man was seen to raise his stick in the air and break it across a small boy's shoulders, the negro was immediately jumped on and given a terrific thumping. He managed to draw a revolver and fired five bots while his assailants fled. All of the shots went wild. In response to a riot call the police arrived at the scene and recued the negro as he was being kicked, jumped on and stoned by another section of the mob.

Simultaneously with the shooting near the Auditorium another riot was in progress at Michigan avenue and Lake street, a mile north of the same boulevard. A crowd of 300 negroes imported from St. Louis were being escorted from the railway depot to a lodging house. At Lake street and Michigan avenue, a crowd of 3,000 persons attacked the negroes, many of whom were armed with stones, pieces of coal, black jacks, revolvers and stout hickory canes. When persons in the crowd began to throw stones, rocks and bottles the negroes charged repeatedly making fierce use of the hickory canes. A dozen or more shots were fired and it is reported that several men had been shot.

A running fight between the negroes and the mob on Michigan avenue ensued, the negroes attempting to make their way to their lodgig quarters on the north side of the Chicago river. The negroes massed together, kept their formation and pushed onward until Rush streets bridge was reached. On to the bridge poured the negroes followed by the mob. Carriages and pedestrians were caught in the swirl and menaced by the crowds. Among the vehicles was an open carriage occupied by H. H. Kohlsaat.

Mr. Kohlsaat was compelled to sit in his carriage and witness the negroes fighting against their assailants. The strike-breakers fought on until the North side was reached. There they were met by police and taken to the Northwestern Storage Company's warehouse where the battered and weary strike-breakers were finally safely housed. During the riot on the bridge, Frank Curry, a white man who was leading the negroes, was struck on the head with a brick. Curry was made partly unconscious and was carried into a building nearby where his wound was dressed.

In the heart of the fashionable shopping district, two trucks driven by non-union colored teamsters and guarded by forty negroes armed with stout canes, had a stormy time. Tin cans, pieces of coal, iron bolts, lumps of lime, old shoes and fruit were thrown at the colored men who in the meantime used their clubs freely.

A number of women who had been shopping in Marshall Field & Company's store became mixed in the crowd. The negroes drove the mob back and the women fled into Marshall Fields and other big retail establishments in the vicinity. The fighting at this corner was kept up for ten minutes when the police dispersed the crowd.

DARING BANK ROBBERS IMITATE JESSE JAMES

New York Town Raided After Mid-Night and Bank Robbed of $5,000 to $10,000—Fired on People.

Ononota, N. Y., May 2.—A band of masked robbers rode into the village of Gilbertsville, about 18 miles from here, at 3 o'clock this morning, blew open the modern and supposedly burglar proof safe in the private bank of E. C. Brewer and made good their escape with booty estimated at between $5,000 and $10,000. When the startled villagers were awaken by the muffled roar of the explosion and had been halted by the pistol fire of the retreating bandits, they found that the robbers had completely isolated Gilbertsville from the outside world by cuttings all the telegraph and telephone wires. Efforts to communicate with neighboring towns were futile.

To-night parties are searching the woods in every direction in the hope that the robbers have sought shelter in the thickets, and will seek to leave the vicinity of their daring exploit under cover of to-night's darkness. The bold attack rivals in the details of its thoroughness, its daring and its success, the exploits of the most notorious bandits of the Western country.

It is believed there were five men in the bandit gang. That all were heavily armed was shown by the frequency of their fire when the villagers arrived near the bank. The men first prized the front door of the bank. Not a light glimmered in the village and they evidently set about their work leisurly. The holes were drilled into the heavy steel doors of the newly installed safe and into these the explosive, believed to have been itroycerine, was inserted. The explosion which followed wholly wrecked the safe and shattered every window in the bank building. The robbers hastily gathered up all the money exposed by the explosion and started on a run just as the first of the awakened villagers reached the scene. Other residents quickly came up, but in the meantime the invaders were making good their escape, firing as they went.

WARM WIRELETS.

Henry Guy Carleton, the noted play wright, was stricken with paralysis at the home of a friend in Jacksonville, Fla., yesterday. While the attack is not considered dangerous, Mr. Carleton was quite ill last night. His physician states that there are strong hopes for his recovery.

Captain Goisechea and thirty-six men of the crew of the Spanish steamer Gaditano, which sank Thursday at the month of the Withlacochee river, arrived at Tampa yesterday and sailed last night for Havana en route to Spain. They were in charge of Spanish Vice Consul Escarri, of Fernandina. The captain filed a formal complaint with Consul Guerra at Tampa about the treatment accorded the crew at Dunelleon, alleging extortion.

A delegation of skilled weavers left New Bedford, Mass., yesterday for Wesson, Miss., where they are under a contract to work in the cotton mills of the Mississippi corporation for one year. The delegation number 25 includboth men and women. The company, owing to a scarcity of skilled labor in the vicinity of Wesson, sent agents to Massachusetts several weeks ago to ecure weavers. Another delegation will leave the city in a week.

At Houston, Texas, yesterday Governor Lanhan approved the bill which permits betting at race tracks on the day that the races are run. It was stated while this bill was pending that if it became a law first-class tracks would be established at Dallas, Houston and San Antonio, and possibly Fort Worth to conduct winter meetings. A syndicate composed of Eastern men and Texans is back of the project to establish the tracks.

The Brazos river in Texas is flooding the bottom lanes all along the valley from Hearn, south of Richmond and rising slowly at the latter place. The water is a foot and a half deep in the town of Columbia near the mouth, and has spread over a considerable area of farm land. The damage is greatly lessened by the warning which enabled farmers to get their stock out, but the loss to cotton and corn will amounts to many thousands of dollars.

The tenth annual meeting of the Association of Surgeons of the Southern railway, met in Chattanooga yesterday. The gathering was called to order by Chief Surgeon W. A. Applegate, of Chattanooga. An address of welcome by Mayor Chambliss was responded to by Dr. J. J. Harrison, of London, Tenn. President W. W. Harper, of Selma, Ala., delivered his annual address. Several papers of intrest to the profession were read. The meeting will continue through Thursday.

NAN PATTERSON ON THE RACK

Scathing Allegation of Her Guilt by Assistant District Attorney Rand.

ORATORY BUT NO EVIDENCE

The Chorus Girl Heard Terrible Arraignment, but Declared the Jury Would Not Hang a Girl On Oratory.

By Wire to the Morning Star.

New York, May 2.—The fate of Nan Patterson, in her third trial for the murder of "Caesar" Young, will be in the hands of the jury early to-morrow. Assistant District Attorney Rand completed the closing argument for the prosecution shortly before 5 o'clock this afternoon and the court adjourned for the day. Recorder Goff announced that he would charge the jury upon the opening of court to-morrow. It is not believed that his instructions will be lengthy and probably before the noon hour, the jury will have retired to consider a verdict.

At the close of the argument to-day, Prosecutor Rand had arraigned her in most scathing terms, had asserted that her silence in this tria, was a confession of her guilt, had declared that her sister had lied on the stand and that her counsel had based his plea for her life on a foundation of fabrications.

Nan Patterson said she still felt confident the jury would bring in an early verdict of acquittal. "'Mr. Rand is a fine orator," she declared, "but I know those twelve men will not hang a girl on oratory."

Mr. Rand consumed practically the entire day. He devoted a large part of his speech to a defence of herself and his methods in the present trial. He declared the charges made against him by Abraham Levy, attorney for the defendant, were unjust and misleading. He demed that he had been guilty of suppressing evidence that might have helped the Patterson girl.

Mr. Rand reviewing the evidence in the case, declared that it had been proven by the prosecution that Young never owned a revolver and that even if he had one it would have been a physical impossibility for him to have inflicted upon himself such a wound as caused his death. He called the attention of the jury to the preparations made by Young for his European trip and told them that alone proved beyond question that the book-maker had no intention of taking his life. The contention of the defense between him and Miss Patterson, he claimed, was proven untenable by the evidence which, he said, showed that Young had kept away from her during the whole month just preceding his death.

After describing the meeting between Young and Miss Patterson on a railway train when both were bound for the West and something of their lives in the months which followed, the prosecution came down to May 1, 1904. On that day Leslie Coggins dined with the J. Morgan Smiths, and told them that Young, who then was in New York, had decided finally to break off his relations with Nan Patterson. "After what Coggins told the Smiths," the prosecutor continued, "this defendant unannounced came on the next week from Washington. She was frantic and hysterical. Young did not know that Nan was in New York on that day. He had written to her, believing she was in Washington. Are his letters those of a man madly in live? A man who is supposed to have killed himself rather than be separated for a short period from her. They indicate his feelings which were that she should not bother him. Can you forget the threat Nan made the night before the tragedy? She told Young that she knew the name of the boat and said 'You'll never sail on that boat, because I'll be there to stop you.' She kept on repeating that threat until Young lost his temper and, slapping her, put her in a cab. Had not J. Morgan Smith told her a few hours before that 'She'd have to do it?' but that blow and curse settled her determination. Don't you So why was it necessary to corroborto bed that night he was marked for slaughter.

"I said that J. Morgan Smith bought this revolver and propose to prove it. Stern, an honest man according to Levy, sold that revolver on June 3rd. So why was it necessary to corroberate an honest man's testimony by his books? Did not Stern tell you that the buyer of the pistol was a tall red haired man. That description fits Smith and Stern did not say Smith and his wife were not the purchasers of the weapon. His evidence was simply of a negative character. The purchase of the revolver by J. Morgan Smith is proven by the silence of his wife on the witness stand when she took refuge behind the conspiracy indictment, that is, she answered she would be convicting her sister Nan. If Smith did not buy that revolver, could the entire police force in the city with clubs have kept him off the stand to say so.

"And now, as to the meaning of the tragedy. Young has been described as being in a happy mood, and what were the reflections passing through the defendant's mind as beside him she rode in a cad down town. In her drug racked brain did not she hear the words "Nan, you've lost, you've lost; Caesar's going back to his real love, to his only love, to his wife; to the woman that saves his money and adorned his home; back to the drawu clubs have kept him off the murderer in heart framed into action and she shot and killed. A little crack, a puff of smoke and a dead man lay prostrate on this woman's lap. And the wages of sin were paid."

"This woman," continued Mr. Rand, "through all this rehearsal of her degradation and portrayal of vice and crime in which the name of Young has been mentioned at least one hundred times a day, has not moved an eye lash with emotion. She is capable of composure enough to pretend that what she says is true. This woman who was false to her husband, false to her lover, and false to her oath; how can any one have effcontery to ask you to believe her tale? Her only statement has been that this man so loved her that rather than be separated from her for a short time, he shot himself. O silly story! I wish that she had not been nailed in a lie which they dare not attempt to support.

"Gentlemen, take counsel not at your wishes, but of your solemn duty, and be not misled by the defense whose silence is a confession of guilt. Be loyal to the truth, the same yesterday, to-day, to-morrow—eternal as the Kingdom of God."

James J. Jeffries, champion heavy weight pugilist, will retire from the prize ring and the stage and go into business with his brother Jack, in California, according to a statement made by him yesterday in Cincinnati to the Times-Star. He will leave the stage May 15th, arrangements having been made to cancell all engagements after that date. Jeffries takes this action at the request of his wife. In addition to this, Jeffries says that pugilism does not pay.

L. & N. LEASE TO THE A. C. L.

Deal Again Figured on New York Stock Exchange.

New York, May 2.—The character of the selling which met the opening advance in prices to-day carried a sufficient warning that the stocks which were taken yesterday morning to check the demoralization in the market were being disposed of again. It seemed quite evident that the high opening had been helped for the purpose of making a better market for disposing of these stocks. The appearance of this class of selling somewhat dampened the speculative enthusiasm induced by yesterday's considerable advance in prices. Then the conspicuous advances in special stocks later in the day did not serve entirely to restore confidence in the stability of the market. Nevertheless quite a long list of effective gains were shown as a result of the day's business and amongst the industrials especially the strong points were numerous and diversified.

The conspicuous advances late in the day were the result of a stirring anew of the rumors of deals. The revival of talk of the lease of the Louisville and Nashville to the Atlantic Coast Line on a dividend guarantee was especially effective.

Eddie Smith, of Oakland, Cal., has been chosen to referee the International boxing contest between Jimmy Britt and Jabez White, which will take place in San Francisco next Friday night.

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Election Notice!

The Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County, in accordance with the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of North Carolina, passed at its 1905 Session, entitled, "An Act to Empower the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County to Issue Bonds for Road Improvements," and by virtue of the power therein given, do hereby call, and give notice of, an election to be held by the qualified electors of New Hanover County, on Wednesday June seventh (7), 1905, to determine whether New Hanover shall issue Fifty Thousand dollars ($50.000.00) of its bonds, with interest coupons attached, to continue and complete the repairing, constructing and improving the public roads in said County.

At said election the ballots tendered and cast by the qualified electors shall have written, or printed, on them, "For continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads of the County," or, "Against the continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads of the County."

All qualified electors who favor the issue of said bonds shall vote "For continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads of the County," and all qualified electors, who are opposed to the issue of said bonds, shall vote, "Against the continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads of the County."

For the purposes of this election, as authorized by said Act, the said Board of Commissioners have ordered and do hereby order a new registration for said election, and the following are designated as the polling places in the several Townships and Wards, and the persons hereinafter named have been appointed as the Registrars and Judges of Election in said several Townships and Wards, to wit:

Cape Fear Township.

Polling Place—Blossom's Store. Castle Haynes.
Registrar—R. N. Sweet.
Judges of Election—R. W. Boardeaux and J. H. Johnston.

Harnett Township—First Division.

Polling Place—Delgado Store.
Registrar—W. H. Pittman.
Judges of Election—T. J. Kenan and George W. Rogers.

Harnett Township—Second Division.

Polling Place—Township House.
Registrar—C. H. Alexander.
Judges of Election—W. B. Canady ano J. Robert Parker.

Masonboro Township.

Polling Place—Township House.
Registrar—D. J. Fergus.
Judges of Election—B. S. Montford and Henry Melton.

Federal Point Township.

Polling Place—Capps Store.
Registrar—John A. Biddle.
Judges of Election—Theodore Biddle and Hill Williams.

Wilmington Township—First Ward.

Polling Place—First Ward Hose Reel House, near Fourth-Street Bridge.
Registrar—F. T. Skipper.
Judges of Election—J. D. Mote, G. H. Heyer.

Wilmington Township—Second Ward.

Polling Place—Old Court House.
Registrar—P. Heinsberger, Sr.
Judges of Election—M. O'Brien and J. C. Springer.

Wilmington Township—Third Ward.

Polling Place—Giblem Lodge.
Registrar—A. G. Hankins.
Judges of Election—H. L. Fennell and George P. Cotchett.

Wilmington Township—Fourth Ward.

Polling Place—Worth's Ice House.
Registrar—George D. Parsley.
Judges of Election—L. M. LeGwin and W. A. French, Jr.

Wilmington Township—Fifth Ward.

Polling Place—Old Hook and Ladder House.
Registrar—T. G. Landen.
Judges of Election—B. M. Wilson and James H. Burriss.

The Registration books of each Township, Ward and Precinct will be kept open between the hours of Nine o'clock, A. M., and sunset on each day, Sunday excepted, for twenty days, beginning May 4th, 1905, for the Registration of electors; that the said books will be closed for registration at sunset on the second Saturday before said election, to-wit, the 27th day of May, 1905, that on Sautrday the 6th day of May, 1905, and on the 13th, 20th and 27th day of May, the Saturdays thereafter, the Registrars will attend with their registration book at the polling places of their respective townships, wards or precincts for the registration of voters. The registrars will attend the polling places of their respective township, wards or precincts with the registration books on Saturday preceding the election, to - wit, the 3rd day of June, 1905, from the hour of Nine o'clock, A. M. till the hour of Three o'clock, P. M., when and where the said books will be opened for the inspection of the electors of said Township, ward and precinct and any of said electors shall be allowed to object to the name of any person appearing on said books.

This the 1st day of May, 1905.

By order of the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County.

D. McRACHERN, Chairman.
W. H. BIDDLE, Clerk.
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